

## Watson Wins In Run-Off For Council Post

Total Vote in Second Election Is Higher than vote for Three Candidates on September 16

In the run-off election held Monday Mr. Eddie Watson was winner for Place No. 3 on the Montevallo Town Council. He defeated S. M. Mahan, present member of the Council by a margin of 54 votes. The official result of the ballot was:

Watson	141
Mahan	87

The total vote of 228 in Monday's run-off was 49 more than the total vote of 179 for the three candidates in the first election.

Mahan received 78 in the first election, increasing his number only 9 votes in the run-off. Watson's vote in the first election was 60 and he more than doubled that number in the run-off, receiving a total of 141.

The retiring Councilman, Mr. Mahan, has been a member of the Town's official body for the past six years. Mr. Watson is not altogether a new man in the Town's public official capacity. He served as member of the Council for a period of time some years past, we do not know exactly how long.

The result of the run-off Monday determines finally and completely the official family of Montevallo for the next four years, as follows:

Mayor, F. P. Givhan; Council members, J. A. Brown, Dr. Hallie Farmer, T. E. Watson, C. G. Sharp, M. P. Jeter.

## Library Board Holds First Meeting

The first meeting of the Shelby County Library Board was held September 28 in the office of the Board of Revenue at the court house in Columbiana. The board consists of the following members: Mrs. Homer Walton, Mr. W. L. Brown, Mr. L. H. Ellis, Mrs. William E. Eversole, Mr. J. L. Appleton, Mrs. J. T. Phillips, Mrs. Morgan Denson. The following officers were elected: Mrs. Homer Walton, chairman; Mr. W. L. Brown, treasurer; Mrs. Mildred B. Harrison, secretary. Mrs. Walton gave a report of the work done and the preparation made for the county library. Donations amounting to \$130 have been made from the various parts of the county.

The shelves have been put up in the library room in the court house, and efforts are being made to secure a desk and reading table and chairs.

Miss Winnie Mae Toomer, director of the Shelby County Department of Public Welfare, made a report on WPA workers who will be available for the project. From a talk with Mrs. Virginia Green, area supervisor of WPA, from Birmingham, Miss Toomer reported that approximately thirteen communities have workers so far, and it is hoped that more will soon be available.

As for work still needing to be done, Mrs. Walton reports that a drive is soon to be launched for books and magazines to be given to the library.

The board authorized the spending of the \$1,000 appropriated by the Board of Revenue, for books. The WPA and state library funds will match these purchases dollar for dollar. This will insure a fairly good sized collection for the library.

Mrs. Mildred B. Harrison, WPA library supervisor, has been transferred to this area, and began her duties Wednesday.

The library is scheduled to open on or near November 7.

## MRS. J. W. CAHOON

Mrs. J. W. Cahoon passed away in Bessemer where she had gone for medical treatment Tuesday night, October 1. Mrs. Cahoon had for many years been a resident of Montevallo. She was a member of the Baptist Church here.

Her survivors are her husband, four sons, John, Howard, George and Aubrey Cahoon, of Bessemer; four daughters, Mrs. Margaret Cooper, Jackson, Miss.; Mrs. Mabel Robinson, Bessemer; Mrs. Ruby Adams, Centre; and Miss Pearl Cahoon, Montevallo.

The funeral will be held Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Baptist Church, with Dr. Fred B. Pearson officiating. Burial will be in Montevallo Cemetery.

## BAPTIST CHURCH

"Is the Church a Beggar?" This question will be discussed at the Sunday morning service. The pastor will speak Sunday evening on "The Reason for Hope." Sunday School meets at 9:45 a.m., the Baptist Training Union at 6:45 p.m.

## Merchants Plan Trade Celebration

The Montevallo Merchants Association held a banquet meeting at the Baptist Church Tuesday night. It was attended by about 25 merchants of the town, and everybody had a good time. The dinner was served by a group of ladies of the Baptist Church.

After an hour of fun during which the dinner was thoroughly enjoyed, the group took up consideration of a plan for community-wide trade expansion celebration. Mr. Sonnfield, an expert sales promotion and advertising man, made a splendid pep talk and then outlined a plan for the occasion proposed for Montevallo. It was received with hearty approval by every member of the group.

The following committee was appointed to work out further details of the plan with Mr. Sonnfield: Mrs. R. B. Hicks, chairman; Jasper Holcombe, and Joe Klotzman. Time for the big celebration week was tentatively set for the period from October 28 to November 2.

## National Beta Club Is Organized At Vincent School

Mr. Buford Lawrence, former superintendent of education of Chilton County, now field representative of the National Beta Club, announces the recent organization of a chapter in the Vincent High School.

The National Beta Club is a non-secret leadership organization for high school students of America. Its expressed object is to encourage effort, promote character, stimulate achievement among its members; to promote ideals of honesty, service, and leadership among high school students.

Officers of the Vincent Chapter are Elvena Ray, president; Hilma Adams, vice-president; Evelyn Davis, secretary; Margaret Wyatt, treasurer.

The roster of members is: Margaret Wyatt, Louise Adams, Hilma Adams, Julia Lacey, Madeline Bailey, Fannie Lou Abbott, Elvena Ray, Gertrude Davis, Lowell Smith, Paul Vaughan, Evelyn Davis, Wilma Holcombe, Mary Sue Brown, Odeana Stevens, Vestula Vaughan, Elmina Ingram, Wilma Dyer, Nadine Roby, Obera Dyer.

National Beta Club is chartered under the laws of the State of South Carolina, with headquarters at Spartanburg. It has been in operation for six years, and has grown to the extent that it reaches into high schools all over the United States.

## Chief Gardner Is Wounded During Raid On Still

Police Chief Clyde M. Gardner is confined to his home suffering serious injury from being accidentally shot during a still raid Monday night. The shot was from the .38 calibre pistol of a fellow-officer, Hardy Edwards, who, with officers Gardner, Hugh Shaw, and Donald Falkner, were chasing three Negroes who were fleeing from the scene of operating the still.

Gardner and Edwards were running along opposite sides of a ditch. Edwards, with cocked pistol in his hand, ran into an old wire fence and fell down. When he fell his gun was discharged and the bullet struck Mr. Gardner, who was about 20 feet from him across the ditch.

The bullet went through Mr. Gardner's left leg, about three inches below the knee, also striking the right leg and deflecting off the bone.

The still was located just outside the city limits of Montevallo, in the woods back of the college dairy. It was being operated by three Negroes.

The officers watched the Negroes several hours as they prepared for "making the run." When they had gotten the outfit into operation, the officers closed in on them and they fled up a ditch. It was in the chase that Mr. Gardner was accidentally shot.

All three of the Negroes were caught and placed under arrest.

## Dr. Neff Will Lead Religious Emphasis Week, Oct. 13-16

Dr. Edgar R. Neff, rector of St. John's Episcopal Church, Montgomery, will be the chief speaker for Religious Emphasis Week, October 13-16, sponsored by the Y. W. C. A.

Activities of the week will begin in a union service Sunday night, October 13, at 7:30 in Palmer Auditorium, with "The Way to the Best" as the theme of Dr. Neff's sermon.

Dr. Neff is a graduate of Gettysburg College, Gettysburg, Pennsylvania, and the Virginia Theological Seminary in Alexandria, Virginia. He has taught at Georgia Tech and the University of Alabama.

The church career of Dr. Neff began at the Church of the Advent, Birmingham, where he was curate for a number of years. Later he was connected with Episcopal churches in North Carolina. He came to Montgomery four years ago to serve as rector of St. John's church.

Further arrangements for the week of religious activity are being made by Gladys Fuller, president of the Y. W. C. A., New Brockton; Vera Parkman, Seale; Florence Pennington, Sheffield; Emma Anderson, Seale; Lenore Oliver, Shawmut; Mary Grace Orr, Cullman; Annie B. Parker, Montevallo; Margaret Reddoch, Luverne; Mary Sterne, Anniston; Frances Roberts, Birmingham; Mary Scott Howell, Selma; Eloise Jones, Frisco City; Mary Curtis, Atmore; Margaret Dean Harris, Ensley; Frances Conley, Enterprise; Margaret McAllister, Mobile.

Program planning conferences of extension workers will be held in Decatur, Huntsville, Birmingham, Auburn and Montgomery October 6-25. The 1941 extension program of work will be formulated at these conferences.

Mr. Lloyd Villadsen of Norwood was a visitor in town Monday morning.

We are sorry to learn that Mrs. S. M. Mahan continues to be ill. We hope to see her out again soon.

## Community Chest Board Elects Officers; Begins Organizing New Subscription Campaign



DR. I. T. SANDERS

Committees Are Appointed To Work in Various Capacities During The Coming Year

A joint meeting of the old and the new Community Chest Boards was held at Mr. R. A. Reid's office last Thursday night. Dr. T. H. Napier, president of the Chest Assembly, presided. The purpose of the meeting was to perfect the organization of the new Chest Board for the coming year.

The following were elected officers of the new board:

Dr. A. W. Vaughan, chairman; Mrs. Denson Elliott, vice-chairman; Miss Waurene Jones, secretary; R. P. Holcomb, treasurer. Other members of the board are Miss Myrtle Brooke, Rev. T. M. Davis, Miss Edythe Saylor, D. A. Thomas, L. W. Wooten, W. M. Wyatt.

The following committees were named to function in the various capacities of the Chest operation for the coming year:

Recreation—Rev. T. M. Davis, chairman; Miss Saylor and Mr. Thomas.

Welfare—W. M. Wyatt, chairman; Miss Brooke and Miss Jones.

Publicity—Dr. A. W. Vaughan, chairman; Mr. Wooten and Mrs. Elliott.

Campaign committee to carry out solicitation for subscriptions to Chest fund—Mr. Wooten, chairman; Miss Saylor and Mr. Thomas.

The date set for the campaign for solicitation of subscriptions to the Chest fund for the coming year was set for the period from October 10 to 24. Mr. Wooten's committee is busy this week setting up the details of the soliciting campaign. This will be finally perfected at another meeting of the Board tonight (Thursday) and everything will be in readiness for solicitors to take the field on the tenth.

## Barbecue Is Planned For Next Meeting Of American Legion

An event of more than ordinary interest will be the regular meeting of Hendrick-Hudson Post of the American Legion, which comes on Thursday night, October 17.

At the last meeting Commander P. T. Martin proffered to the membership of the post that he would furnish the barbecued meat for a feed at the October meeting if the other fellows would do their part. His offer was heartily accepted with every member pledging himself to do his part by eating all he possibly could.

So it is a go. And the ladies of the Auxiliary will be guests at this occasion. It is going to be the finest affair of this kind that we have had in many moons.

Every veteran in this section is urged to make plans now to attend. And bring the ladies with you, too.

American Legion activity has taken on new life because of the part the organization will take in the present and proposed national defense program.

When we were in the army in 1917 and 1918 we sang "Keep the Home Fires Burning" until we return. Now we are called upon to keep the home fires burning while the younger men do their bit. Every ex-service man will stand ready to do his part and that part will be evidenced through the program and organization of the Legion.

Get ready now to come to the meeting October 17. The exact time and place will be announced next week.

Mr. Morris Watson of Birmingham spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. A. H. Watson.

## Chilton County Is Subject Of Study By Dr. I. T. Sanders

Alabama College this week is mailing copies of its most recent study, "Alabama Rural Communities—A Study of Chilton County," by Dr. Irwin T. Sanders, to all the state editors, county farm agents, welfare workers, county superintendents of education, high school principals and community leaders throughout the state.

In his 80-page book Dr. Sanders gives the results of an intensive survey which he conducted in Chilton County with the aid of the Bureau of Agricultural Economics. Told in a non-technical way, he discusses in Part One "How Do You View the Community?" Part Two is entitled "The Neighborhoods of Chilton County," treating in detail the communities of Clanton, Jemison, Thorsby, Verbena, and Maplesville. Part Three consists of suggestions by the author for learning more about other natural communities in the state and is entitled "Why Not Learn More About the Communities of Your County?"

The study is illustrated with pen and ink drawings by Miss Marjorie Plank, of Gadsden, and by maps and photographs. The book carries an introduction by Donald Comer, chairman for Alabama in the Southwide Campaign for Balanced Prosperity, 1940-50; and a foreword by President A. F. Harman of Alabama College.

In the publication Dr. Sanders examines the significance of determining the natural communities in the work of the business man, minister, farm worker, educator and editor, explaining how the smaller neighborhoods which grow up around a church or school or a crossroad store and grist mill combine to make up a larger community where leadership and social participation are important factors. In his introduction Mr. Comer says of this study: "If we are to have vision, if we are to progress, if we are to want something better for tomorrow, it is worthwhile to have a definite starting time and place, and in this inventory of Chilton County we are well on the way."

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cowles, Alice Cowles, and Mrs. E. B. Smith, Sr., of Homewood, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Sharp. Mrs. Smith stayed over for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Sharp.

What's the matter, boys, can't you stay away? Auburn was well represented this week end with Jimmy Wyatt, Bob Anderson, Clyde Gardner, Jr., and Bobby Cleary home for a visit.



# Montevallo Community Chest Report For Last Year

## To Subscribers of the Community Chest and Other Citizens of Montevallo

The Chest year just closing has been highly gratifying. The Board again asked its members for a minimum of \$1700. The total subscription was \$1771.50. Of this sum all but \$25 or \$30 will be collected, which means that the uncollected amount will be less than 2½ per cent of the total. The system of complete records established on the founding of the Chest has been continued and the books of the treasurer will be ready for thorough auditing some time in October.

The allocation of funds for 1939-40 was similar to that of the two previous years. It seemed best, however, in order to provide additional funds for music organizations at the school to reduce slightly the provision for Scouting. Moreover, because the Negro recreation fund contained an unexpended balance of \$165, the usual appropriation for this fund was this year added to the allotment for emergency relief. The budget as adopted was as follows:

For emergency relief.....	54%
For local school needs.....	22%
Music 6%	
P. T. A. 10%	
Athletics 6%	
For Boy Scouts .....	11%
For Girl Scouts.....	11%
For operation.....	2%

Total ..... 100%

All the agencies to which appropriations were made have been active and efficient throughout the year. They have, moreover, in accord with their agreement with the Chest Board refrained from making any appeal for funds to the general public.

### Athletics

This reducing of general campaigns for funds is especially significant in respect to high school athletics. The merchants in most towns the size of Montevallo are called upon several times a year for athletic donations. There has been no such appeal to the merchants of Montevallo since the Chest was organized three years ago. Yet the high school athletic indebtedness, which three years ago was embarrassingly large, has now been reduced to about \$100, and it is hoped that it can be entirely erased within the coming year. The high school athletic teams reached directly during the year nearly 100 boys and indirectly contributed largely to the life of the entire high school.

### Music

The high school band and the elementary school orchestra similarly served the entire school group and provided individual training for nearly 100 boys and girls. The \$102 given to these organizations is annually spent in two ways: Part of it is used as a kind of revolving fund with which to purchase instruments for beginning students who in most cases are able to buy their own instruments within a few months; the rest of it goes for instruments necessary for the band or orchestra as a whole. There is always a waiting list of boys and

girls who are anxious to learn to play, but for whom there are no instruments.

### Negro Recreation

Most of the funds that remained in the treasury for the needs of Negro recreation was spent during the year for play ground equipment recommended by the physical education instructors of Alabama College for use at the new Negro school at Almont. The Board believes that very fine work is being done at this school and that the money contributed by the Chest has been used to unusually good advantage.

### P. T. A. Fund

The Parent-Teachers Association has again spent its appropriation for permanent recreation equipment much needed because of the increasing number of children and the limited size of the play ground. Of the \$170 total, \$103 is being used for permanent swings for the younger children and the remaining \$67 for durable benches similar to those on the college campus.

### Scouting

Most of the money allocated for Scouting has gone to reduce the indebtedness on the two Scout buildings. At the present rate of reduction one of these houses should be free of all indebtedness within a year and the other within two years. Part of this fund will then be available for other recreation development of a permanent nature. During the three years that the Chest has contributed to these two Scout programs they have served a very high percentage of the boys and girls living in Montevallo who are of Scout age. During the past year the total of both boys and girls reached in some way was well over 100. More than 25 men and women in the community cooperated in leading in these two programs.

### Welfare Service

A statement of the work done in emergency relief as prepared by a member of the Social Service Faculty of Alabama College follows. This highly trained group of welfare specialists disbursed all of the welfare funds for the Chest Board. Every case is investigated before the money is paid out and a record is kept of all assistance rendered to any family.

The total available for the relief service within the year will be approximately \$950. As is indicated in the statement by Miss Allen, \$710.92 of this total had been expended prior to August 21 when her report was prepared.

### Report of Miss Elizabeth Allen

The problem of accounting in dollars and cents for the money entrusted to the Committee on Welfare Service is a simple one, but the task of translating cold cash into terms of the relief of human misery and anxiety is difficult. Would that all persons who contributed to the fund could go with their money into the fifty or more homes that were benefitted by their generosity. In every instance the assistance was only a part in a plan to help the family meet its problems. Some-

times the request was an isolated emergency but most often it was an emergency pending the development of resources to meet chronic problems. In each instance the agency made a sincere effort to pass on the gift in a spirit of neighborliness that would stimulate courage and self-respect.

Of the \$710.92 expended, \$289.63 went for school lunches, \$164.35 for hospitalization, \$153.63 for medicine, \$50.86 for groceries, \$42.55 for clothing, and \$10 for maternal welfare supplies.

It was felt that the school lunches meant not just one meal a day for over fifty children, but their only meal on many days, and that it meant the relief of mothers watching their children catching school buses without even a biscuit to wrap in a newspaper. One of the little boys on the list was being given a psychological test at the eleven o'clock hour. After each test question he would say eagerly, "I wonder what we will have for lunch." One mother of four little girls who were on the list last year decided that she could manage this year as she knew other children were in greater need. Another mother stated that during the summer that her obviously undernourished children had been to school all winter without lunches. One of these children had a poor attendance record due to chronic colds.

Special permission was granted by the Chest Board to authorize the hospitalization of a boy of fifteen, but help came too late as the appendix had ruptured and the boy died after two weeks of heart breaking struggle to build up resistance undernourished by malnutrition. He was a child with an excellent school record, the oldest of eight children and the hope of a father failing in health. The Board also authorized the diagnostic study of a mother of six children, haunted by the dread of a recurrence of cancer.

Through the use of surplus commodities the problem of hunger was somewhat alleviated so that the grocery orders were given only in extreme emergencies. An emaciated father sat hunched in a rickety wagon outside the office while his wife, already gray at thirty, asked that she may not have to go home empty handed to hungry children. She had come only when one of the children became ill from a diet of early potatoes and cucumbers. The father was one of many rejected for industry and PWA because of health problems that did not render him totally handicapped and eligible for Aid to Dependent Children. Orange juice has been provided for babies, and diets for the sick who have only corn bread and peas to bring them through convalescence. Milk was provided for a baby on the list for hospitalization through the Cripple Children's Service. Although the child was fourteen months old, the mother was afraid to wean him because there was no money to buy milk.

Although the doctors of Montevallo have continued to give freely of their services there are no county funds for medicine. Prescriptions have been approved for acute and chronic illnesses — to control the spells of an epileptic girl, to alleviate the pain of an arthritic boy, to stimulate growth in a baby in danger of becoming a midget, to check pneumonia and to fight pellagra. Over thirty patients were enabled to follow the advice of their doctors.

Clothing was furnished only for school children. The needs of the girls were largely met through old clothing that mothers could make over. But shoes, sweaters and overalls were often an extreme emergency and enabled children to remain in school.

Nothing could be more constructive than the contribution to the Maternal Welfare Clinic. Mothers who came for help were without exception in poor health with husbands who were handicapped or unemployed. One mother at nineteen had three children under four years, two others had four pre-school children, and two others had eight living children.

The Community fund has been

used as a supplementary aid. Many families are not eligible for public assistance and those who are eligible often have periods of waiting and the limited funds of the county make the allowances pitifully inadequate. It is felt that the Community Fund has contributed immeasurably to the courage, comfort and cheer to the unfortunate members of the Montevallo Community. —Elizabeth Allen.

On the first day of October the present Board will have completed its work. The new Board will find our records complete. It will find, too, that the community needs which the Chest was created to serve are growing more pressing every year. —Respectfully submitted, Waurene Jones, Secretary; R. A. Reid, Chairman.

### CULTURE CLUB TO ENTERTAIN WILSONVILLE CLUB

The Columbiana Culture Club will honor the newly organized Wilsonville Study Club Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the Columbiana High School when they will present Mrs. Isobel Bruce of Alabama College.

Mrs. Bruce will tell of her experiences last year aboard the Athenia, which was sunk off the Scotland coast. Mrs. Bruce was seriously injured and her return to Alabama was delayed until this fall.

The public is cordially invited to hear Mrs. Bruce, who is a delightful and fluent speaker.

Alabama farm women have made 150,376 mattresses under the 1939-40 program. The 1940-41 program will start within the next few weeks.

## WILTON NEWS

Mr. Bobby Cleary, who is attending school at Auburn, was at home over the week end.

Miss Alice Nolen, who is teaching in Helena, spent the week end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Gay visited with Mr. John T. Gay Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Turner spent the week end with Mrs. Mae Moreland.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Reeves are spending the week in Birmingham.

Mrs. Wilson Carter and Mrs. Mildred Robinson were honored with a miscellaneous shower last week, receiving many nice and useful gifts.

Mrs. John Wallace, who has been spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. Louie Smitherman, has returned to her home in Randolph.

Mrs. Albert Robinson is spending this week with her mother, Mrs. B. G. Moore.

Friends of Miss Lula Evans will be glad to know she is able to be out again.

Mrs. S. R. Woolley entertained her daughter, Jackie, Sunday with a surprise birthday dinner. The guests included Wayne Villadsen, Evelyn Ward, Grady Parker, Julia Ward and Billy Rotenberry.

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Serve with asparagus soup, minted apples, English peas and potatoes.



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Lamb Crown Roast

**Lamb Patties**  
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Lamb Patties

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Serve with mashed potatoes, Brussell sprouts and nut jelly.

**Loin Steak lb 29c**

Serve with stuffed baked potatoes, baked onions, apple pie and cheese.

**Club Steaks lb 25c**

Serve with shoe string potatoes and Roquefort dressing.

Cool weather makes a good roast better

**CHUCK ROAST**  
20 lb 20 cents

To cook, sear to brown, then cook slowly over slow heat 45 to 50 minutes per pound. Serve with boiled onions garnished with paprika, string beans and lemon slices. Serve 3 persons per pound.



Rolled Rump

**Boneless Rump Roast lb 25c**

Serve with green beans, whole kernel corn, fresh pineapple and cookies.

Boned, rolled and tied  
**Rib ROAST 29c**

Serve with asparagus soup, baked potatoes, tomatoes and celery, lettuce or salad.

**Ground Beef lb 20c**

Serve with tomato and okra, pineapple, cottage cheese, salad and butterscotch pudding.

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### Curtis String Quartet Is First Number On Concert and Lecture Series

The appearance of the famed Curtis String Quartet in Palmer Auditorium at Alabama College on October 11 will afford Alabama music lovers an opportunity to hear an American ensemble whose success has played no small part in the institution of a new vogue for chamber music.

Organized in Philadelphia in 1929, when the four artists were graduated from the famed Curtis Institute of Music, the ensemble, now the official quartet of the institute, has recently rounded off ten years of touring, including visits to more than 200 American cities and to the foremost music capitals of Europe. In 1936, the Curtis String Quartet was chosen by the English Speaking Union to represent the United States musically at the Silver Jubilee of King George V of England.

Last season the Curtis Quartet made musical news with one of the

rare performances of the entire cycle of Beethoven quartets, in five programs under the auspices of Newark's Griffith Foundation.

With the exception of Jascha Brodsky, the first violinist, all of the members of the Curtis String Quartet are American born and each is a distinguished virtuoso in his own right. Both violinists were noted child prodigies, Brodsky having studied and concertized under the great Eugene Ysaies in Belgium, and Charles Jaffe, the second violinist, having made a sensational debut at five and a half as soloist with the Woman's Symphony Orchestra in Philadelphia.

The quartet performs on one of the finest collections of rare old Cremona instruments in existence, a fortune in fiddles provided for the artists by their patroness, Mrs. Mary Louise Curtis Bok, widow of Edward Bok and daughter of the late Cyrus Curtis of publishing fame.

### Spring Creek News

#### Home Demonstration Club

Mrs. T. W. Ingram was hostess for the Home Demonstration Club Wednesday afternoon. The meeting was opened with the singing of "God Bless America." Business was conducted with four chairmen giving reports. The program was interesting, being a Bible quiz. The ladies were divided into two groups with Mrs. B. R. Alexander and Mrs. Milton Bridges heading the groups. The questions were asked as in a spelling bee. Mrs. Alexander's group won by two points.

Miss Cotney and Mrs. Lockeridge gave the demonstration on children's lunches. A ready-packed lunch box was shown, giving the proper amount, as well as arrangement of food.

Mrs. Ingram served fruit whip and a drink in the colors pink and white. This color scheme was carried out in living and dining rooms with potted plants and cut flowers. The meeting was adjourned after an invitation from Mrs. Robert Ingram to meet with her on October 23 for a demonstration on landscaping.

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Mrs. H. A. Vanderver and grandchildren, Glenda Nelle and Stephen, of Littleton, spent part of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Ingram.

Mr. Jacques is in the Veterans Hospital, Tuscaloosa, for treatment. Miss Mae Ingram is now working in Steele.

Mrs. Max Allen and Shirley Sue of Birmingham spent Wednesday with Mrs. T. W. Ingram.

Mrs. Hackett is spending several weeks in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynne Atkinson and children, Wanda and Patsy, of Ensley were week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Laura Ingram.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Mauldin and Mrs. J. H. Mauldin of Birmingham spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Ingram.

Miss Vida Roach of Montgomery was a recent visitor of her father, Mr. J. E. Roach.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander and Mrs. Dyar of Birmingham visited Mr. and Mrs. Thad Alexander last Sunday.

Miss Mary Sue Lee of Hillman Hospital was home last week end.

Mr. Fermon Moore carried a bus load to the fair Wednesday. Several Spring Creekers were included in the group.

### District Meeting U.D.C. Held At Tuscaloosa

Mrs. James B. Higgins, Miss Besie McCary, Mrs. J. I. Riddle, and Mrs. C. G. Sharp motored to Tuscaloosa for the day Tuesday. Mrs. Higgins was the guest of Mrs. W. A. Cone (Lucy Bowdon); Mrs. Riddle, Miss McCary, and Mrs. Sharp attended the Bankhead District U. D. C. meeting.

The Bankhead District consists of chapters from Aliceville, Carrollton, Centreville, Fayette, Montevallo, Sulligent, Tuscaloosa, Vernon and Winfield.

There was a large delegation present and a number of distinguished guests: Mrs. Jesse Roberts, Montgomery, Alabama Division president; Mrs. R. B. Broyles, Birmingham, and Mrs. A. M. Grimsley, Fayette, past division presidents; Honorary Life President, Mrs. Charles Maxwell, Sr., of Tuscaloosa; Miss Delma Foster, Prattville, division historian; Mrs. M. T. Maxwell, Tuscaloosa, second vice-president; Mrs. K. L. Hollis, Sulligent, third vice-president; Mrs. A. B. Vandiver, Prattville, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Frank W. Kitchell, Birmingham, recorder of crosses; Mrs. Albert J. Pickett, Montgomery, division editor.

The Bankhead District director, Mrs. M. T. Maxwell, presided. The outstanding features of the meeting were the school of instruction conducted by Mrs. Roberts, and the account of the general convention plans. The general convention comes to Alabama this year and is to be held in Montgomery.

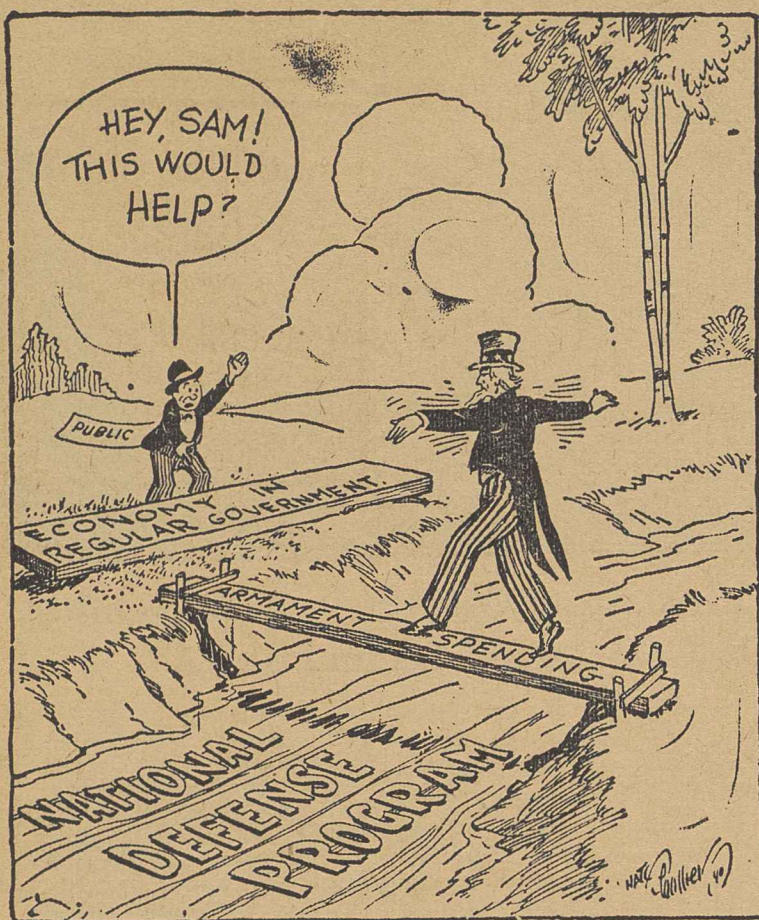
A beautiful and delicious luncheon was served by the Tuscaloosa chapter of young matrons. A handsome silver vase was awarded to the R. E. Rodes Chapter of Tuscaloosa for the most outstanding work in the district.

The invitation to convene in Aliceville next October was accepted. The following district officers were elected for next year: Director, Mrs. C. G. Sharp, Montevallo; secretary, Mrs. W. L. Pratt, Centreville; treasurer, Mrs. G. S. Smith, Vernon; director of C. of C., Mrs. C. V. Hayes, Vernon.

Miss Sara Lee and friend of Birmingham visited Mr. and Mrs. Roland Lee a while last Sunday night.



## GOOD ADVICE!



## Scouting In Black Warrior Council

An intensive campaign to extend the benefits of Scouting to more boys in this area has been adopted by the Black Warrior Council, Boy Scouts of America, with the objective of enrolling at least three thousand boys in this program.

The Black Warrior Council Area includes 14 counties in this section of Alabama. Actual surveys conducted through the school system by Council officials show that 17,000 boys in this area wish to be Scouts. At the present time only a small percentage of this number have actually been enrolled in the program, due to lack of sufficient leadership and financial support.

The new intensive campaign for extension of the program is part of a national program of action sponsored by the National Council, Boy Scouts of America, in cooperation with 16 other agencies, including churches, educational groups, veteran organizations, fraternal orders, and other agencies interested in character building and the teaching of Americanism.

In the Black Warrior Council Area only one boy out of every seven receives the benefits of Scout membership. The new program of action will focus attention not only on increasing the strength of existing troops, but also on the organization of new troops in communities not now being served in the effective training of leadership and the planning of many activities designed to continue a boy's interest in Scouting over a longer period.

An initial step in the new campaign is an effort to secure adequate financial resources through a drive to be carried on throughout the 14 county council areas on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, October 14, 15, and 16. This drive will be headed by Marc Ray Clement of Tuscaloosa, chairman of the council's finance committee.

The finance chairman for the Shelby District is Dr. M. L. Orr. Our district committee chairman is J. L. Appleton, and our district commissioner is Hoye Splawn. These men are at present engaged in the organization of a campaign for this district. Chester Walker, probate judge of Tuscaloosa County, is president of the Black Warrior Council, and Dr. H. G. Dowling, superintendent of Tuscaloosa graded schools, is the council commissioner. These men, along with Mr. Clement, are most active in giving leadership to the Scout program and plans for the finance campaign throughout the 14-county area. They have extended a call to all good citizens in this area to respond promptly and generously on the campaign dates, October 14, 15, and 16, in order that a sum may be raised which will assure the success of the new program to extend Scouting to more boys.

## Two Successors for Bankhead

The Democratic Executive Committee has named two successors for Speaker Bankhead to represent the Seventh District in Congress. In one sense, at least, that action is fitting, for Mr. Bankhead was such a powerful representative it will take the combined efforts of two and perhaps more men to approximate his worth in the national Congress.

Furthermore, we are left somewhat in the fog by action of the committee. Some commentators condemn it. Others approve. We are confused. But the Alabama Journal assures us that the action precludes any possibility of hand-picking and guarantees the people of the Seventh District a free and democratic choice of a successor to Mr. Bankhead.

## Montevallo Community Chest

In this paper you will find the annual report of the operations of the Montevallo Community Chest for the past year.

All-in-all, it is a most gratifying story of how the people of Montevallo have again done a most worthy piece of civic and humanitarian endeavor. The Chest last year asked for \$1700 to complete its budget. Total subscriptions made was \$1771. Total paid by subscribers was a bit over the amount requested in the budget.

At this time the work of setting up the Chest program for another year is being done. The manner in which the people of the community have supported the Chest gives the Chest officials full courage to proceed with their plans. Moreover, the manner in which the Chest has functioned, as shown by the report, gives the people of the community full confidence in the efficiency, fairness and completeness of the Chest operations.

When the call comes next week for new pledges to the Chest, there is every indication that the people of Montevallo will respond one hundred per cent to provide the necessary financial means to carry out the Chest program another year.

It has been stated before that our Community Chest is among the best things ever done by our people. The truth of this statement is made more and more obvious by the continued and increasing favorable attitude of our people toward the Chest from year to year.

## AN UNWARRANTED ATTACK ON THE STATE COMMITTEE

The Birmingham News, in an editorial captioned "A Nonsensical Procedure," launched an unwarranted attack upon the State Democratic Executive Committee yesterday, after that committee had nominated Dr. Z. L. Weatherford of Red Bay and Walter Will Bankhead of Jasper as joint successors to William B. Bankhead as representative from the Seventh District.

The News went far afield by remarking, "The State Democratic Executive Committee has seldom distinguished itself for sound judgment or forthright action. Over a period of many years, the State Committee only a few times has taken an action that the public could applaud as something wise or fine or courageous. On most questions coming before it down through the years its members have preferred to play politics with an eye toward factional or personal advantage." The News continues.

"This has been the case too often, regardless of the committee's personnel at the time. Its membership has changed some from term to term, but its penchant for political manipulation goes on forever. To say this is not simply to express an individual opinion. It is enough to point to the rather high rate of political mortality among members to indicate that their services have not been altogether satisfactory to the Democracy of Alabama," the paper asserts.

The News goes on to assail the action taken on the Bankhead vacancy, and it repeats for a third time within four days its contention that Mrs. Florence Bankhead, the Speaker's widow, should have been nominated. This claim is set forth despite the fact that Mrs. Bankhead twice directly told the committee that she did not wish any such nomination.

It is strange indeed that The News would insist upon such a procedure. It would be a strange committee that would force the widow of the Speaker into such a position of public prominence within less than a week after her husband's funeral.

The News demanded an impossible procedure. Piqued by the committee's refusal to force an unwanted office upon Mrs. Bankhead, the Birmingham paper uses that incident as a springboard for an "all out" attack upon the committee. Unless The News can give a far better documented case for its diatribe, it certainly will not hold water.

In the first place, the Birminghamers have no vote nor voice in the politics of the Seventh District. It occurs to us that the State Committee was wise indeed to let the committeemen of the Seventh District recommend what steps should be taken to fill the vacancy. Any other position would have permitted State Committee dictatorship in what was certainly a local district matter.

To say that the State Committee "has seldom distinguished itself for sound judgment or forthright action," is a general charge which certainly should not be made without some facts included. To allege a "high rate of political mortality among members" is another statement which should be made only with the records at hand.

We do not have all the records at our fingertips, but we do know that few committee members have been defeated at the polls in the Sixth Congressional District during recent years. Any "mortality" has been largely accounted for by the fact that members have either resigned or have voluntarily foregone any candidacy to succeed themselves. It is true that this district did not have many of the "handpickers" who were the chief casualties in 1938.

Chairman Gessner McCorvey and his State Committee have a hard task before them in guiding Democracy of Alabama at this writing. It is certainly made no easier when the biggest newspaper in the biggest city in Alabama goes out of its way to attack that committee and its members in the manner referred to above.

It is significant also that John Temple Graves II, writing in the Birmingham Age-Herald, sister paper of The News, apparently does not by any means agree with the

## A PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, The newspapers of this State and Nation typify the freedom of press and speech which, with religious liberty, constitute the most sacred and cherished rights of the free people of the United States, the world's greatest and mightiest democracy, and

WHEREAS, The priceless privilege reserved for and conferred upon them by the framers of our constitution, has been safeguarded and defended so valiantly and so well against attack and encroachment through the years by those into whose care and keeping it was entrusted, and

WHEREAS, The newspapers of America perform the indispensable and vitally important service of keeping the people informed of events at home and abroad that vitally affect their lives and fortunes and, at the same time, provide an ideal public forum for discussion by all citizens of their common problems, and

WHEREAS, These newspapers have given freely and generously of their space and the time of their editors, publishers and staffs to the promotion of every cause and movement for the welfare, progress, security, comfort and happiness of the people, militantly championing and fighting for their rights and against any and all threats against their freedom, and

WHEREAS, Heretofore, the priceless service they have done and are doing, has all too often been accepted as a matter of course, looked upon with indifference or thoughtlessly ignored—all too seldom being rewarded with written or spoken word or other expression of gratitude or acknowledgment,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Frank M. Dixon, as Governor of the State of Alabama do hereby designate the period from October 1 to October 9, 1940 as

### Newspaper Appreciation Week

in Alabama, and call upon all citizens during that week, to hold meetings for discussions and adoption of appropriate resolutions or other communications or by letter or personal calls at the offices of their newspapers to express their appreciation of services already given and their confidence in the continuation of this great, unselfish and inspired work on behalf of the people of Alabama and the rest of our beloved country.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed by the Secretary of State at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery, on this 13th day of September, 1940.

ATTEST:

John B. Brandon  
Secretary of State.

GOVERNOR.

Sunday expression. In today's column, Mr. Graves says:

"Long after maneuvers and blandishments in connection with the naming of a successor in Congress to Will Bankhead are forgotten, the dignity, good sense and grace of Florence Bankhead will be remembered. She has added distinction to a distinguished name by refusing appointment to her husband's place and basing that refusal on the very highest grounds. Little as she knows it she has won new friends for the Bankheads, too, with her good taste. Here's hoping that she has done much to stop for all time the practice of appointing wives of deceased statesmen to vacant places as a means of keeping somebody else out of avoiding a political showdown. Mrs. Bankhead has honored her husband's name far more than it would have been honored in her appointment to Congress.

"Opponents of 'hand-picking' will be glad that an especially obnoxious example of it was avoided in the decision to make only temporary nominations for the succession to Mr. Bankhead and to provide for a popular vote on the full term succession. If hand-picking of party convention delegates and committeemen is bad, hand-picking a congressman is bad indeed."—Tuscaloosa News.

## JOY HOLCOMB IS HONORED AT BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. R. P. Holcomb entertained Saturday afternoon for her little daughter on her fifth birthday.

Beautiful fall cut flowers were used in the living and dining rooms to further carry out the color scheme of pink and green, along with the other decorations and refreshments. The "grown-ups" are going to have to move along if they get ahead of the younger generation in playing hostess. Little Joy, the honoree, was really a joy to observe with her happy smile as her little guests arrived.

Mrs. Zoe Black made pictures of the children both in the house and on the lawn. The beautiful white birthday cake was decorated with

pink candles in pink rosebud holders.

Those included in this delightful affair were Juanita Holder, Laura Ann Hicks, Lois Hoffman, Rita Joyce Day, Marcia Trumbauer, Sue Henning, Martha Jane Mahaffey, Eleanor Ann Mitchell, Jane Black, Donna Klinner, Joanna Sharp, Jane Gravlee, and the honoree, Joy Holcomb.

Mrs. Holcomb was assisted in entertaining and serving by Mrs. Zoe Black and Mrs. W. J. Mitchell.

## COUNTY TEACHERS MEETING

On Wednesday, October 2, at 4:30 p.m. in the auditorium of the Columbiana High School, the Shelby County Teachers Association, in its regular monthly meeting, heard A. C. Dunnaway, superintendent of education of Coffee county, as the main speaker. Coffee County has done a fine job in organizing public services agencies and groups in a program for developing that county along the lines outlined by the executive council of the Shelby County Planning Committee. Mr. Dunnaway has had a leading part in this work.

The teachers if Shelby County are seeking ways in which to help in this movement. The high school teachers went further into details of the program in their group meeting after the general meeting and discussed ways and means of attaining some of the objectives set by the planning committee.

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## LOCAL NEWS OF CALERA

The Unique Study Club met Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Z. S. Cowart, with Mrs. V. F. Smith as co-hostess. The topic was education. Mrs. P. H. Barnes spoke on pre-school training and Mrs. R. L. Holcombe on library extension.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Finley and daughter, of Elberton, Ga., were the guests of Mrs. Frank Denson Saturday.

Rev. and Mrs. L. D. Atkins came over Sunday from Sycamore. Rev. Atkins is a former pastor of the Calera Methodist Church. They were the dinner guests of the G. C. Long.

The revival services of the Methodist Church closed Friday night. Rev. J. M. Shores of Montevallo assisted the pastor, Rev. V. F. Smith.

Mr. R. E. Bowdon attended the national postmasters' convention in Columbus, Ohio, last week, returning Sunday night.

Mrs. Z. S. Cowart and Mrs. R. L. Holcombe went to Sylacauga last Wednesday to see Mrs. Holcombe's sister, Miss Clara Pitts. Miss Pitts left Saturday for Washington, D. C., to resume her work in the Washington schools.

Mrs. R. E. Bowdon, Mrs. Frank Denson and Mrs. Richard Parker spent last Wednesday afternoon in Childersburg with Mrs. B. F. Wilson.

Mrs. C. D. Cowart, Mrs. Fred Allen and Mrs. A. F. Seale attended the district W. C. T. U. in Birmingham last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Phillips visited relatives in Monroe, La., recently.

Mr. Pete Eason is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Marion Jones.

The regular meetings of the P. T. A. will be held on Wednesday following the first Sunday in each month, instead of the second Tuesday. At the October meeting Mrs. J. E. Gunn will discuss "The Exceptional Child," and Mrs. G. C.

Burks' topic will be "To What Extent is the Parent Responsible for the Behavior of the Child?" A large attendance is anticipated.

William Henry (Buddy) Popwell, who has been very ill, is reported improving in the Shelby County Clinic at Wilsonville.

Mrs. Morris of Langdale visited her daughter, Mrs. Z. S. Cowart, Jr., Sunday, which was Mrs. Cowart's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Burks are home again after several days visit to Cincinnati, Ohio, Buffalo and New York City, Niagara Falls, Canada, and Washington, D. C.

The following 4-H Club members are at the State Fair this week: Robert Merrell, Robert Lockeridge, Floyd Blankenship, Virginia Lockeridge, Robert McClain.

### HOMEcoming AT DOGWOOD GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH

The annual Homecoming Day at the Dogwood Grove Baptist Church will be held Sunday, October 13. Everybody come and bring a well-filled basket. There will be singing, preaching, and talking. Many former pastors and members will be present.

### SOIL CONSERVATION AREAS ARE ORGANIZED

Additional soil conservation districts are being organized in Alabama. Hearings were held the past week in Birmingham on organizing the North Central Alabama Soil Conservation District to include Bibb, Blount, Chilton, Cullman, Jefferson and Shelby Counties.

### GUERNSEY IS SOLD TO ALABAMA COLLEGE

Trion, Ga.—The American Guernsey Cattle Club, Peterborough, N. H., reports the sale of a registered Guernsey bull by the Trion Co.-Riegeldale Farm to Alabama College. This animal is Riegeldale Viking's Cavalier 290324.

### "Little Tommy"

Here is a parting ode to our printer's devil, Tom Gentry, who has resigned his position with The Times:

"Put away the little britches  
Do not try to mend the hole  
Little Tommy he has left us  
He has climbed the golden pole."

Mrs. George Flitts and Mrs. Bernie Harrison spent Thursday afternoon in Birmingham.

### WANT ADS

LAND FOR SALE — 100 acres of farm land. Price \$550. 60 acres in pasture, 30 acres level land, with lasting water. Three-room house, big barn, well with lasting water. Good road runs by the house. North east of Montevallo 3 miles. Known as the Bob Allen place on Spring Creek.—T. A. Bearden, Montevallo. 10-3-37.

FOR RENT—Four-room house in good condition, arranged for two families.—Mrs. L. J. Kilpatrick.

### HOME GUARD TO USE HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT CARS

Montgomery, Ala. — Alabama's Home Guard will use State Highway Department trucks and automobiles as needed, Adjutant-General Ben M. Smith has revealed.

The Home Guard, formed around the American Legion as a basic organization, will take the place of the National Guard on November 25, when most Alabama Guardsmen will begin a year's active duty at Camp Blanding, Florida.

Since no provision exists for Home Guard transportation facilities, the Highway Department will furnish the vehicles.

Director Chris J. Sherlock has given General Smith a list showing the exact location of State Highway shops over Alabama and the number of trucks and cars available at each.

### NEW BULLETIN TO LIST FARM LAND FOR SALE

A bulletin listing farm lands for sale or rent will be published by the Department of Agriculture, announces Haygood Paterson, Commissioner of Agriculture.

"The purpose of the bulletin is to aid farmers who desire to dispose of their lands and to assist those who are interested in securing agricultural lands in Alabama," says Commissioner Paterson.

Farmers wishing to list farm lands must have at least five acres in cultivation. In sending listings for publication in the Farm Land Bulletin to be issued in December, the

following information must be given: Name, county, post office, number of miles from post office, railroad and good road; number of acres in cultivation, in pasture, and in timber; type of soil and crops best adapted for the soil; description of the house and improvements; school and church facilities; price per acre and the terms; and any other information necessary.

A blank for listing the farm lands may be secured by writing to the "Alabama Farmers' For Sale, Want and Exchange Bulletin, Department of Agriculture, Montgomery, Ala." All listings must reach the department by December 6.

Mr. Houston Adams of Birmingham spent the week end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Klotzman and children, Harry and Frances, visited relatives in Birmingham Sunday.

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R K O News

Sun. and Mon., Oct. 6-7

Jack Benny, Ellen Drew in

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Selected Short Subjects

Wed. and Thurs., Oct. 9-10

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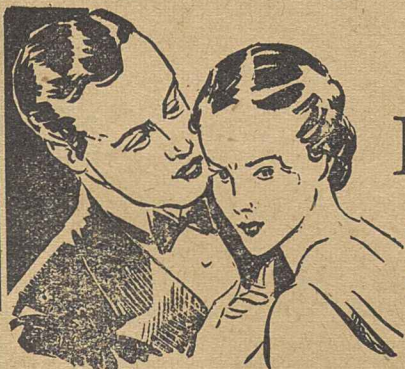
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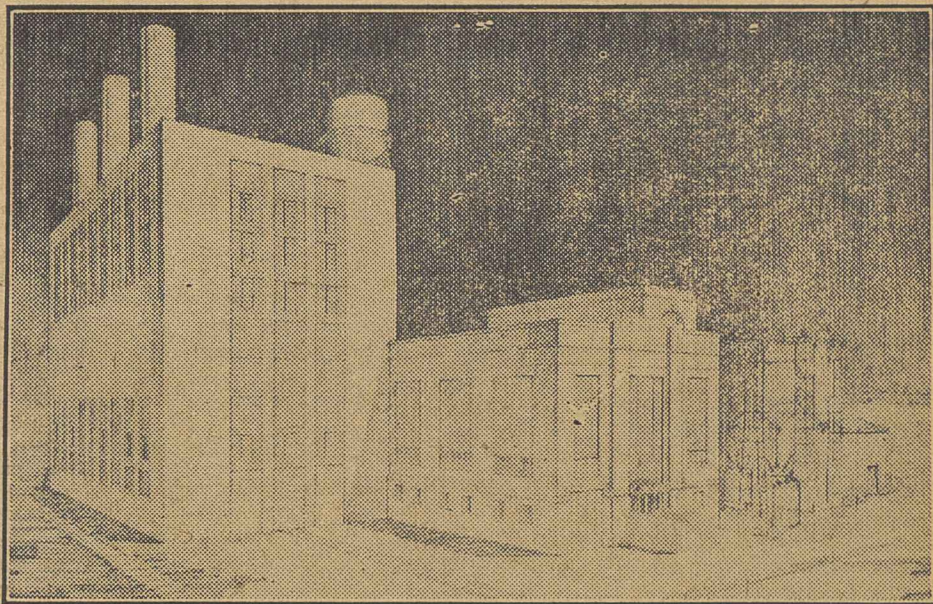
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Proud, because the industrial development in South Alabama helping balance agriculture with industry (in which we were glad to assist), has developed to the extent where it contributes to the need for additional power facilities. . .

Proud, because the new plant will have installed in it the latest, efficient electric generating equipment; and because the building will be architecturally beautiful—an asset to the appearance of the community in which it is located.

When it is completed, we hope it will be possible for you to visit it.

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**BUCK CREEK COTTON MILLS**  
**Notice of Regular Meeting of**  
**Stockholders**

To the Stockholders of Buck Creek Cotton Mills:

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to call by the Board of Directors of Buck Creek Cotton Mills, a regular meeting of the stockholders of said corporation will be held at the principal office of the corporation in Siluria, Alabama, on the 8th day of October, 1940, at ten o'clock a.m., for the purpose of considering and taking action upon a proposal to decrease the amount of the total authorized capital stock of the corporation from \$600,000.00, divided into 6,000 shares of the par value of \$100.00 per share, to \$482,850.00, divided into 4,828½ shares of the par value of \$100.00 per share, said decrease to be effected by retiring 657 shares of First Preferred stock, 250½ shares of Second Preferred stock, and 264 shares of common stock of the corporation heretofore purchased and now owned by it, and by cancelling the certificates evidencing same, and for the purpose of considering and taking action upon any and all matters in any way connected with the foregoing proposal.

By order of the Board of Directors.  
J. T. PHILLIPS,  
President and Treasurer.

Attest:  
H. M. JOHNSON,  
Secretary.  
Sept. 9, 1940 9-12-4t

**NOTICE**

Estate of Pelham Coke Means, deceased.

Letters of administration of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 12th day of September, 1940, by the Hon. L. C. Walker, Judge of the Probate Court of Shelby County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will be barred. — Virginia Means, as administratrix of the estate of Pelham Coke Means, deceased. 9-19-3t

**STATE SOIL CONSERVATION**  
**COMMITTEE OF ALABAMA**

Notice of referendum on creation of Proposed North Central Soil Conservation District, embracing lands lying in the Counties of Bibb, Blount, Chilton, Cullman, Jefferson and Shelby, in the State of Alabama.

To all owners of lands lying within the proposed North Central Soil Conservation District, comprising the territory described as follows:

All lands lying within Bibb, Blount, Chilton, Cullman, Jefferson,

and Shelby Counties, within the State of Alabama.

Notice is hereby given that on the 26 day of October, 1940, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m., a referendum will be held in the said territory upon the proposition of the creation of the North Central Soil Conservation District as a governmental subdivision and a public body, corporate and politic, under the provisions of the Soil Conservation Districts Law of this State.

All persons, firms and corporations who shall hold title to farm, forest or grazing lands lying within the said territory, are eligible to vote. Only such persons, firms and corporations are eligible to vote.

Voting divisions and polling places for the referendum are as follows for Shelby County:

Beats 1, 2, 8 and 9, Columbiana, court house.

Beats 9 and 10, Wilsonville, Weldon's Store.

Beats 10, 11 and 16, Harpersville, Donahoo's Store.

Beats 10, 15 and 16, Vincent, McGraw's Store.

Beats 14 and 15, Vandiver, post office.

Beat 18, Dunnivant, post office.

Beat 11, Westover, post office.

Beats 8 and 13, Chelsea, post office.

Beats 12 and 13, New Hope, school.

Beat 17, Pelham, Word's Store.

Beats 7, 19 and 21, Siluria, Roy's Store.

Beat 19, Maylene, Litt's Store.

Beats 4, 7, 20 and 21, Montevallo, Legion Hut.

Beats 3, 4 and 7, Calera, City Hall.

Beats 1 and 2, Shelby, Company Store.

Beats 5, 6, 17 and 19, Helena, Wallace's Store.

Eligible voters residing within the proposed district shall cast their ballots at the polling place for the division wherein they reside. Eligible voters not residing within the proposed district shall cast their ballots at the polling place for the division which includes their land, or the greater part thereof. Eligible voters who will be absent from their division on the day of the referendum may apply in person or in writing to Mr. J. F. Wyatt, Polling Superintendent, at Rt. 1, Vincent, Ala., for absentee ballots. Each applicant for an absentee ballot shall state his name, residence, location and acreage of land owned, and interest therein.

**STATE SOIL CONSERVATION**  
**COMMITTEE**

By P. O. Davis, Chairman  
Dated this 25 day of  
September, 1940.

Plans have been made for the annual meeting of the Alabama Poultry Breeders Association to be held in Auburn Monday, October 7. Between 100 and 150 poultry breeders and hatchery men are expected to attend.

**A. A. U. W. To**  
**Hold Meeting**  
**Saturday**

The state executive board of the American Association of University Women will meet Saturday, October 5, at 10 a.m., in Auburn.

Plans for this meeting were recently announced by Dr. Rosa Lee Walston, state president, when she invited all members of A. A. U. W. to attend regardless of whether they are serving on the executive board.

Duncan Hall Studio has been offered by the college as a meeting place for the board, which will convene at 10 a.m. for the morning session, during which the state chairmen will present plans for the coming year.

At 12:30 those attending will be the guests of the home economics department for luncheon in Smith Hall.

The afternoon session will be given over to discussion of branch problems as presented by their presidents. Adjournment will be at 4 o'clock.

Since many members are located some distance from Auburn, arrangements have been made for those who find it more convenient to come on Friday to be cared for in the girls' dormitories of A. P. I. Dr. Walston would appreciate it if those planning to attend would let her know when to expect them.

Members of the executive board are: President, Dr. Rosa Lee Walston, Dean of Women, Auburn; vice-president, Dr. Ann Cary Pannell of Tuscaloosa; secretary, Dr. Bessie Martin of Judson College, Marion, and treasurer, Mrs. M. H. Sterne, Birmingham.

The following committee chairmen also serve on the executive board: Fellowship committee, Mrs. R. E. Tidwell of Tuscaloosa; international relations, Miss Mary Moss Wellborn of Auburn; creative arts, Miss Dawn Kennedy of Montevallo; economic and legal status of women, Dr. Lois Ackerley of Montevallo; board member, Past President Dr. Eulah P. Egan of Florence; survey of education of women, Mrs. Claire K. Grauel of Troy; publicity, Mrs. Ben Thorpe of Birmingham and Mrs. Louis B. Ambler of Auburn; historian, Miss Catherine Kennedy of Birmingham; national members, Dean Agnes Ellen Harris of Tuscaloosa; prison project, Miss

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

The congregation of the Presbyterian Church will unite with other congregations the world over in the celebration of World Communion Sunday. It is most fitting in this day when the world is falling apart in so many respects that we feel a special relationship and communion with our Christian brethren in other parts of the world. The program of the P. S. A. at 7 o'clock will be in keeping with this theme. Sunday School will meet at 10 o'clock.

Lillian Worley of Montevallo; education, Miss Mary Richeson of Florence.

Now that it has rained, Alabama farmers are busy planting oats and winter legumes. County exchanges and seed dealers report heavy sales of seed of both crops.

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## New Council And Mayor Are Installed

**Dr. Acker's Administration Is Commended by Mr. Givhan As He Takes Over Office of Mayor**

The new Council members and new Mayor were installed in office Monday night at the Council meeting by the retiring Mayor, Dr. Chas. T. Acker. At the conclusion of the installation ceremony, the new Mayor, Mr. F. P. Givhan, paid a fitting tribute to Dr. Acker and a former Councilman, Mr. S. M. Mahan, as follows:

"I have the greatest reluctance in taking over the job of Mayor following one who has been so eminently successful. Dr. Acker has served the town faithfully and well. He has shown a love and respect for the town of Montevallo which could only be borne in the heart of one who was born, reared and has spent many years in service to the community. I shall not attempt to recount the many things which have been accomplished during his six years of service on the Council and as Mayor. However, it is fitting that the following outstanding accomplishments should be mentioned. The Town's finances have been put on a firm basis with regular payments being made on all outstanding obligations; a new bridge across Shoal Creek has been built; modern fire-fighting equipment installed; and new pavement laid on many of our streets. These accomplishments alone stamp 'well done' on his term of office.

"Mr. Mahan has been on the Council during these same six years when so much has been accomplished. He has contributed his share to all of that which has been done.

"For the town and myself, I express appreciation for these services."

## Art Department Buys Hooked Rug For Alabama Collection

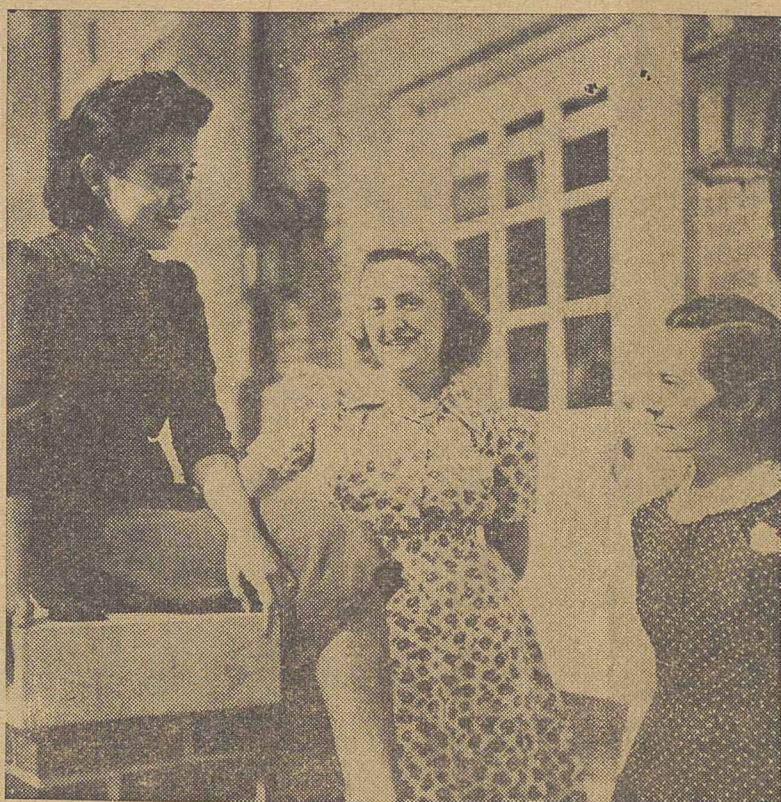
Montevallo has an important addition to its collection of work by Alabama artists and craftsmen. The art department of Alabama College this week made public its purchase of an intricately-designed hooked rug made by Mrs. W. R. Danley of Coffee County.

Miss Dawn S. Kennedy, head of the art department, said in announcing the purchase that Mrs. Danley's work shows a sensitivity to rhythmic arrangement which makes it an artistic accomplishment of real importance. The design is comparable to that found in Oriental rugs in that the balance comes from the informal arrangement of dark and light rather than from an exact repetition of forms. The rug was in an exhibition at Alabama College this summer at the School of Instruction for Alabama home economics teachers. In explaining the method by which it was made, Mrs. Danley says that the design "just came to me as I went along."

### MR. LeBARON SPEAKS AT D. A. R. MEETING

The David Lindsay Chapter, D. A. R., met October 7 at the Music Hall. After a brief business session Mrs. C. G. Sharp, program chairman, introduced Mr. H. D. LeBaron as speaker for the evening. Mr. LeBaron discussed "What to Listen for in Music," using as illustrative material several Victor records. This was the first in a series of programs along the line of American music.

Immediately following the program, a social hour was enjoyed at the home of Mrs. T. H. Napier. Nineteen members and guests were included in this courtesy.



Latin-American relations are not just something Alabama College girls read about in the newspaper since they have Miss Isabel Guillen from Honduras as a fellow-student. Pictured here are, left to right, Miss Guillen, Anne Green from Dothan, and Margaret Palmer, Midland City.

## Vocational Advisory Service Conducts Survey Of High School Students

### FSA Loans Are Available To Farm Tenants of County

We have been notified by James N. Dennis, county rural rehabilitation supervisor, Farm Security Administration, that his office is now accepting applications to buy farms under the Bankhead-Jones Farm Tenant Act.

It is very important that all tenants, sharecroppers, and farm laborers who are interested in being considered for one of these loans should file application in the near future. Forms and applications may be secured at the Farm Security Administration office on the second floor of the old court house at Columbiana.

Seven loans were approved in Shelby County for the fiscal year 1939-40 for approximately \$21,000. This amount includes the option price and necessary repairs and improvements. An appropriation has already been made for buying more farms this year (July 1, 1940, to June 30, 1941).

Each application received is given careful consideration by a committee of three Shelby County farmers who were themselves tenant farmers. The loans made under this program are made over a 40-year period at 3 per cent interest, says Supervisor Dennis.

No land is approved for purchase, he said, where the probable income as determined by the farm and home plans, carefully worked out with each farmer, does not provide a sufficient margin, good living and loan repayment requirements to justify an adequate dwelling and other buildings. In most cases, he pointed out, the annual repayments, including interest and insurance, are less than usual rentals for farms with good land and good buildings. All service of the rural rehabilitation program of the Farm Security Administration are available to tenant purchase farmers, who, through ownership are enabled to plan operations on a long-range basis.

### EPISCOPAL CHURCH

There will be an Episcopal service Sunday morning at 11 o'clock in the Music Hall on the college campus. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

The Vocational Advisory Service at Alabama College set out this week to discover what part of his high school experience a high school student values most five years after leaving school.

This will take the form of a follow-up study of students who have left six typical Alabama high schools. On October 1 a thousand former high school students were sent a letter from their principals asking them to fill out a schedule prepared by the Vocational Advisory Service, telling what their present job is, if they are working, how they got it, and what part of their high school experience has proved to be of greatest value to them. They were told that this information will help build up data for guidance of future students. The former students being questioned included both boys and girls, and both graduates and those who had dropped out of senior high school without graduating.

The schools included in the study are: Lanett High School, representing a textile industry town; Montevallo High School, located in a college town, and including a mining district; Greensboro High School, reflecting "Black Belt" conditions; Holtville High School and Coffeeville High School, two rural schools of different types; and Woodlawn High School in Birmingham, which is typical of a large city school.

This project will be continued for the next five years, each year adding a new group, but continuing to trace the history and adjustments to adult life of all those first contacted in previous years. The data obtained each year will be immediately studied, and results made available to the schools involved, and to all others interested, through the Vocational Advisory Service of Alabama College, directed by Miss Rochelle Rodd Gachet. This service was established at Alabama College in 1940, and has as one of its chief functions the conducting of research to develop knowledge of Alabama conditions as to employment needs and training facilities available to the young people of the state.

### LEGION BARBECUE

The American Legion barbecue will be held at the Baptist Church Thursday night, October 17, at 7 o'clock. There will be barbecued pork and goat with all the trimmings. All Legionnaires are invited to attend and to bring their wives.

## College Observes Founders Day Friday; Delegates To Alumnae Conference Meet On Saturday

### REGISTRATION

The chief registrar, Mr. R. L. Holcombe, announces that the registration for the draft will be held at the Baptist Church Wednesday, October 16, from 7 a.m. to 9 p.m. Other registrars are Mrs. S. M. Mahan, Mrs. W. M. Wyatt, Mrs. E. D. Reynolds, Miss Sally Hooker, Mr. P. T. Martin, Mr. Eddie Watson, Mr. Kirk Lucas, and Mr. G. T. Towery.

## Local Boys Enlist In U. S. Navy

Henry F. Lucas, 24, Route 2; James W. Battle, 20, both of Montevallo; and Robert E. Lee, 25, of Pelham, were enlisted in the U. S. Navy last week, it was announced by Navy recruiting officials at Birmingham.

They were among 180 men of Alabama who were recruited during September and were sent to Norfolk, Va., where they will be given six weeks of training before being assigned to ships.

This month the Navy will recruit men as fast as it can and send them to the training station at Norfolk in an unlimited number. Previously, the recruiting districts were assigned a quota for each month and could not see more men than the quota called for. However, beginning on the first of this month, the enlistments will be made without regard to quota and it is expected that over 400 men will be taken in this month.

Full information concerning enlistments in the regular Navy or Naval Reserve may be had at the Birmingham Recruiting Station, located in the post office building.

The recruiting officials also announced that the drive for qualified civilians for enlistment in the Class V-6, Naval Reserve, is still on. Trained craftsmen, tradesmen, mariners, boatmen, boat engineers, Diesel mechanics, etc., are needed by the Navy for the formation of this class which will be used in time of war. Until that time the men will be in an inactive status. Enlistments in this class will be made in petty officer ratings which correspond with the position of the civilian.

### P. T. A. TO MEET

The Montevallo P. T. A. will hold its regular meeting Tuesday, October 15, at 7:30 in the Elementary School Auditorium.

Miss Jeannetta Thomas and Miss Anne Walker will be the program leaders. The program topic will be "Backward and Forward Look of the Recreational Program in the Montevallo School Community."

All members are urged to be present, because the home room of the two schools having the largest percentage of parents attending will receive \$1.00.

### JOHN ORR IS PLEDGED TO SIGMA ALPHA EPSILON

University, Ala.—The annual rush week was recently completed by the Greek letter fraternities at the University of Alabama. The twenty-six fraternities announced a combined pledge list of over 450 students. These many students will enjoy many social privileges as a result of their being chosen by the different fraternities.

John Orr, of Montevallo, pledged the Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity, a social organization.

### Program to Show Glimpses of Early Days on Campus And Changes That Have Taken Place

Students at Alabama College will celebrate Founders Day at a convocation program Friday at 11 o'clock in Palmer Auditorium. The townspeople are cordially invited to attend.

The program, "College Spirits," in which ghosts of the past will give the audience glimpses into some of the earlier years of the college, is under the auspices of the Faculty and Senate Alumnae Committees.

According to tradition, the senior class will wear their caps and gowns for the first time at this convocation.

Saturday, October 12, will bring representatives from the twenty-three alumnae chapters over the state to the campus for the Conference of Alumnae Chapter Delegates to be held in the morning. This conference will be followed in the afternoon by a meeting of the executive board of the Alumnae Association.

The principal business at the conference will be the presentation and amending of a draft of a handbook for alumnae chapters which is now being compiled by a committee composed of Miss Lulu Palmer, of Montgomery, chairman; Mrs. Lulu Hawkins Gravlee, of Montevallo, and Mrs. Mary McConaughy Ratchford, of Birmingham. It will contain a system of organization, a suggested program of activity and a list of opportunities for possible service to the college by alumnae groups.

Mrs. Eloise Lee Zerwick, of Gadsden, president of the Alumnae Association, will preside over the conference and the meeting of the executive board.

Formerly Founders Day was the occasion for the official Homecoming of alumnae of Alabama College. Last year, however, an experiment was made of having Homecoming at College Night and was found so successful that it will be held again this year at that time.

## Montevallo Wins Over West Blocton

The Montevallo Bulldogs were victorious over a stubborn West Blocton High football team, Friday night, October 4. When the final whistle blew, Montevallo had scored 14, West Blocton 0. This was the second win against one defeat of the season for M. H. S. Previously Talladega won over the Bulldogs and Thompson was beaten.

Louie Busby was chosen captain and Burl Holsombeck alternate captain of this year's team. The starting line-up of last Friday night's game was: Center, Bobby Harrison; right guard, Robert Holcombe; left guard, Wayne Villadsen; right tackle, Edward Battle; left tackle, Boris Mitchell; left end, Burl Holsombeck; right end, C. P. Harrell; left halfback, Dewey Smith; right halfback, Hubert Bearden; quarterback, Louie Busby; fullback, Cecil Dennis.

The Bulldogs will play Bibb County High, Friday night, October 11, there.

### ROBERT GLASSCOCK SPENDS VACATION AT HOME

Mr. Robert James Glasscock, an employee of Swift Packing Company of New Orleans, is spending his vacation with his father, Mr. Jim Glasscock. Robert James has been promoted to the position of cashier and on his return from his vacation will report at Baton Rouge where he has been transferred for duty.



## THE PRICELESS INGREDIENT



### Boy Scouts and the Community Chest

Withdrawal of the Boy Scouts from participation in the Community Chest is made this year in accord with certain promises given by the Scout sponsors a year ago.

While this move is agreeably understood by all who are intimate with the questions involved, it may be well to rehearse some facts leading up to this action for benefit of those who may not know all the details.

The Civic Club is and has been sponsor of the Boy Scout movement in Montevallo. Through this sponsorship the appeal for support for Scouts has been made and granted in past years by the Community Chest. The Black Warrior Council has objected to this plan of financing the Scouts because it is contrary to the established custom of financing. This objection on the part of the Council has been made each and every year. Last year the local sponsors agreed with the Council that they would not participate in the Chest any more and would put Scout financing in Montevallo on an approved basis.

This promise committed the sponsors to a plan of making an appeal to the citizens of the community directly on behalf of financial support of Scouting. Hence, the Civic Club did not request the Chest for a Boy Scout appropriation this year.

The club's request for Chest funds was made and granted contemplating a program for boys of the community that is more general and of wider scope than Scouting alone. Full explanation of this grant of the Chest to the Civic Club program is made in the Chest Board's statement of its plans for the year.

Without rehearsing the details, all of which we think are amply stated and explained in the Chest Board's statement, The Times would merely make this general observation:

After considering the matter from every angle, those responsible for both the Community Chest and the Boy Scouts in Montevallo have concluded that the most feasible plan among the number of possible plans is to take the Boy Scouts out of the Community Chest and conduct a separate campaign in Montevallo for Scouting support. There is no conflict of interest in the two campaigns and no measure of disagreement nor misunderstanding among those who have determined this action. All of them hope there will be no misunderstanding or confusion among the citizens concerning the matter, and that the two campaigns will be as liberally supported as possible.

The obstacle in the way of conducting a Boy Scout campaign in conformity with the standard plan for the past few years has been the debt owed on the cabin. The Black Warrior Council has now agreed to assume the outstanding capital debt of \$150 owed on the cabin in order to remove this obstacle. It was on account of this debt that the appeal for funds has heretofore been made to the Community Chest.

By the payment of this debt the Council will not claim nor have any proprietary interest in the Big Spring Cabin. It will be kept up and used by the Civic Club in its larger program for all boys of the community, as well as other civic groups who may find proper use for the cabin. The Scouts, of course, may and will continue to use the cabin, inasmuch as the Scout movement is an integral part of the general program for boys in Montevallo.

The Chest campaign for solicitation of funds begins today. The Scout campaign begins on the 14th. It is fervently hoped that both movements will receive amply sustaining support from the people of our community.

### Demand For Birth Certificates Increases

In recent months there has been an unprecedented demand for birth registration certificates. This demand is due partly to the preparedness program and to the fact that many large industrial companies are requiring certificates before giving employment.

The County Health Department has had many requests for certificates and the State Bureau of Vital Statistics has been working overtime in order to meet the demand.

The records at the County Health

Department date from January, 1929, that being the year that the department was organized. Births prior to 1929 are recorded at the Bureau of Vital Statistics of the State Department of Health, provided the births were reported by the attending physician.

In instances where the birth was not reported, and where a birth registration certificate is needed, it is necessary first to put the birth on record at the State Bureau of Vital Statistics by properly filling in a delayed certificate of birth and sending this to the Bureau.

Blanks and information in regard to proper filing of the delayed certificate will be furnished by your County Health Department.—Dr. E. F. Sloan, County Health Officer.

### Proclamation By Mayor For Boy Scout Campaign

The Boy Scouts of America have long been recognized as a great character building organization. It is training in Americanism. It teaches boys to love their country, obey its laws and respect its flag. Like the Red Cross, it is chartered directly by Congress and the President of the United States is its "Honorary President." Many of our leading citizens have known its teachings and daily practice its virtues.

The Black Warrior Council of the Boy Scouts of America has rendered splendid service in this section of Alabama for some years. An aggressive program of action is now planned to extend the benefits of Scout membership to many more boys. Seventeen thousand boys in this area want to join. Our citizens welcome an opportunity to support this great humanitarian work. The official time for gathering the means for carrying forward this work is October 14, 15, and 16.

As Mayor of the City of Montevallo, I do hereby proclaim October 14, 15, and 16 as the official time for the Boy Scouts Campaign. And I, Chas. T. Acker, Mayor of the City of Montevallo, do hereby recognize A. C. Anderson as general chairman of the Montevallo campaign committee, composed of A. C. Anderson, Dr. W. D. Jackson, W. F. Tidwell, E. C. Reinke, M. L. Orr, and T. E. Watson.

The Boy Scout Oath and Scout Law is the basis of Scouting. Every person within our bounds should have a part in carrying forward this work for the citizens of the future. The generosity of our citizens is needed now as never before to extend the benefits of this great program to all our boys.

Witnessed by my hand and sealed this 25th day of September, and in the year of our Lord, 1940, at Montevallo, County of Shelby, State of Alabama.

CHAS. T. ACKER,  
Mayor.

### PROGRAM FOR RELIGIOUS EMPHASIS WEEK

The program for Religious Emphasis Week, October 13-16, is as follows:

Sunday, 7:30 p.m., Palmer Auditorium—The townspeople are invited to hear Dr. Edgar R. Neff speak at this time. His topic will be "The Way to the Best."

Monday, 12 noon, Palmer Auditorium—Dr. Neff, speaker.

Monday, 4:30-6:00 p.m.—Seminar in Reynolds Auditorium.

Monday, 6:45 p.m., Palmer Auditorium—Dr. Neff speaker.

Tuesday, 12 noon, convocation—Dr. Neff, speaker.

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Tuesday, 6:45 p.m., Palmer Auditorium—Dr. Neff, speaker.

Wednesday, 12 noon, convocation, Palmer Hall—Dr. Neff, speaker.

### REVIVAL AT WILTON BAPTIST CHURCH

Revival services begin next Sunday and continue through the following week at the Wilton Baptist Church. Services will be held daily, morning and evening. Rev. Collis Cunningham of Tallassee will preach.—Rev. L. T. Reeves, Pastor.

### UNDERWOOD CHRISTIAN SOCIETY HOLDS MEETING

The Women's Society for Christian Service of Underwood held its first regular business meeting of the year at the church, Wednesday, October 2. The meeting was conducted by the president, Mrs. W. T. Evans.

The meeting was devoted mainly to consecration and consideration of the plans, programs, and financial pledges for the year.

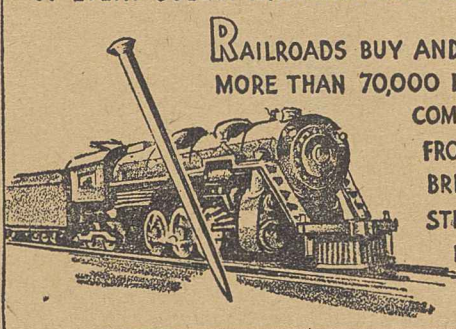
The next meeting which will be a program meeting, will be held at 2 o'clock Wednesday, October 16, at the home of Mrs. Frank Frost.

## Rail oddities



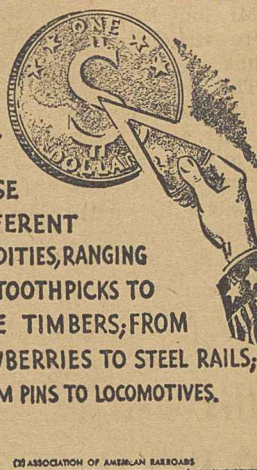
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## Merchants Plan Week Of Trade Expansion And Celebration

### Cotton Mattress Program Far Next Year Announced

Auburn, Ala. — Plans have been completed for Alabama farm families to again this fall and winter receive cotton and ticking for making mattresses, announces P. O. Davis, director of the Alabama Extension Service, and A. W. Jones, AAA administrative officer.

Cotton and ticking will be furnished by the AAA and the Surplus Marketing Administration. Etna McGaugh, state home agent of the extension service, will be in charge of the mattress making activities.

The new program will be similar to the 1939-40 program under which each farm family with less than \$400 income was given 50 pounds of cotton and 10 yards of ticking for use in making mattresses.

Salient features of the new program follow:

1. The income level is raised from \$400 to \$500, plus an additional \$50 for each member of the family in excess of four persons.

2. Each family may receive one mattress for every two persons in the family. If the family has already received a mattress under the cotton mattress project or from the Farm Security Administration or Works Progress Administration, this is included in determining the number it may receive.

3. Money paid as cash rent or commodities paid as standing rent may be deducted in determining the amount of cash income.

4. The amount of cash income means the family's income for the latest preceding calendar year. In other words, until January 1, 1941, the 1939 income figure will be used and thereafter the 1940 income figure will be applicable.

### STATE FARMERS ADVISED TO UTILIZE KUDZU FIELDS

Auburn, Ala. — Alabama farmers are advised by J. C. Lowery, extension agronomist, to utilize their kudzu for temporary grazing or hay production, also to watch old vines for seed.

"On many farms are small areas of kudzu which are not being utilized for livestock," he says, in advising farmers to utilize their kudzu fields.

Mr. Lowery reports that kudzu is blooming in several counties and may produce seed this year. "Kudzu is not a certain seeder but farmers should watch old vines for seed for home use," he says.

Montevallo is fixing to pop the lid off right away with the biggest week in the history of the town. The merchants and business men are cooperating in plans for this event which is set for October 28-November 2.

The program will include a great many events over the week which will be of interest to every person in the territory of Montevallo.

It will be an occasion of trade expansion, getting better acquainted with everybody, and features for amusement and educational value.

Committees are now at work devising details of the celebration. There will be things of interest to farmers, miners, industrial workers, children and grown folks.

### Community Fair

A feature that will appeal to everybody is a Community Fair that is planned to be put on at the Montevallo High School. This event will be worked out to include exhibits of every kind from the farms, homes and communities of this territory. Prizes will be awarded for these exhibits.

Everybody is urged now to take note of this great occasion. Remember the dates, October 28 to November 2. Full details will be announced in a few days with a flood of advertising material that will cover this end of Shelby County and parts of Chilton and Bibb.

Get ready to come to Montevallo and have a part in the greatest occasion ever seen here.

connected with DeLuxe Cleaners, and that Mr. Morse himself has taken over the route formerly covered by Mr. Love.

Mr. H. L. (Slick) Morse announces that Mr. J. A. Love is no longer

Rev. and Mrs. T. M. Davis, Mrs. Ted Bridges, and Mrs. W. J. Kennerly attended a Presbyterian meeting in Birmingham Monday.

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## LOCAL NEWS OF CALERA

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bray announce the arrival of a son whom they have named Charles Neal. Mr. and Mrs. Bray are former residents of Calera and are now in Evansville, Ind.

Miss Saranel Carter and Mr. Richard Ozley were married Sunday, October 6 at 4 p.m. at the Columbiana Methodist Church.

Miss Ludie Phillips, Mr. John Phillips, and Miss Louise Phillips of Selma were the Thursday night guests of Mrs. Frank Denson.

Mrs. Julia Gunn and Rebecca Edwards went to Selma with the Phillips for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Smith Wilson were visitors in Calera Thursday night.

The second mission study meets at the home of Mrs. R. E. Bowdon, Jr. Mrs. R. L. Holcombe's group will be in charge and the subject will be "Youth on the Highways."

Among those attending the Carter-Ozley wedding in Columbiana were: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Allen, Mrs. C. D. Cowart, Mr. and Mrs.

R. L. Holcombe, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney DuBose, Mrs. Wilson Durden, Mrs. Dick Martin, Mrs. R. E. Bowdon, Mrs. Z. S. Cowart, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Bird and son, Maurice, Miss Bertha Payne, Miss Marjorie Austin, Mr. Clark Watters, and Mr. Britton Watters.

Misses Myrtle King and Margie Crowson spent the week end in Birmingham with relatives.

William Henry Popwell died Saturday morning and was buried Monday at the Methodist Church.

Rev. Carlos Radford will leave soon for his work in Anniston.

G. C. Long, Jr., left Sunday for Anniston where he has accepted the position of managing editor of the Anniston Times.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Parker, Jr., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter in Demopolis.

The Ware-Crim Post of the American Legion is giving a square dance at the Hut Thursday night.

Mrs. R. C. Curtis left for New Orleans Wednesday to visit her daughter, Mrs. W. N. Baxter, and the new grandson.

Mrs. A. E. Norwood went to Evansville, Ind., last week to visit her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bray.

The mission study of the W. S. C. S. will have the first meeting at the home of Mrs. R. E. Bowdon, Jr., Thursday. Mrs. Frank Denson will be in charge and the subject will be "The Genesis of the Exodus."

The Calera Garden Club will meet Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Fred Allen. Mrs. R. E. Bowdon, Jr., will be co-hostess.

### NEW GUARD ARSENAL TO BE BUILT IN MONTGOMERY

Montgomery, Ala. — A new National Guard arsenal, to replace the Kilby Warehouse which burned several months ago, is expected to be constructed soon, according to State Military Department officials.

The new warehouse will be located near Kilby Prison, four miles from Montgomery on the Wetumpka highway—site of the burned building.

Steel, concrete and brick will be the materials used; and the building will be two stories high.

Cost of the structure is expected to be about \$32,000.

### FARMERS URGED NOT TO OVER-CUT TIMBER

Auburn, Ala.—Increased demand for lumber and higher stumpage prices are causing many Alabama farmers to make the mistake of cutting their forest areas clean.

It is highly advisable for farmers with equipment and labor to harvest and market their timber on a selective basis, advises Paul G. Millsaps, assistant extension forester.

The following practices are recommended for farmers without equipment and labor: First, with a white band of paint, mark all defected, diseased, insect infested or crowded trees to be cut. Scale each one and tally. Second, specify the amount to be sold and request sealed bids from several buyers. Third, draw up a timber sale contract covering the rate of payment, protection to the remaining stand, method the timber will be scaled, and just what will and will not be cut. Contract forms may be secured either from the local county agent or the extension forester's office in Auburn.

## Settle Farm Debt Problem Now

Reminding that it is a lot easier to settle debt problems now than after foreclosure proceedings have started, James N. Dennis, Farm Security Administration supervisor, announces that the Shelby County Farm Debt Adjustment Committee will meet in his office in Columbiana any time they are needed.

"Many farmers are far enough along with their work to figure pretty well what their income will be," Supervisor Dennis said. "Those who anticipate possibly losing their land, livestock, or equipment by foreclosure should come to the committee now while there is yet time to help them."

The farm debt adjustment committee, composed of local people, helps debt-distressed farmers by working out a voluntary agreement with their creditors providing for a fair, orderly repayment schedule that is within the farmer's ability to pay.

"Many mortgage-holders and other creditors have realized almost the face value of the debt by granting some concessions in principal and interest," the supervisor said, "where otherwise they would have sustained a big loss."

### STATE CORN YIELDS ARE HIGHER THAN LAST YEAR

Auburn, Ala. — Prospective corn yield in Alabama this year stands at 12.5 bushels per acre, compared with 10 bushels per acre harvested last year and an average of 12.8 bushels for the 10-year period 1929-1938, announces J. C. Garrett, state and federal agricultural statistician.

Total production is estimated at 43,025,000 bushels compared with 34,080,000 bushels in 1939, and 41,253,000 bushels average for the 10-year period.

Hay production is estimated at 607,000 tons compared with 596,000 tons last year and 494,000 tons for the 10-year average.

Little Bill Tidwell celebrated his birthday with a few of his little friends at a dinner party. The main attraction of this event was Bill's new electric train. Carey Stabler, Ed Givhan, and Carlisle Towery were his guests.

### OATS MAKE EXCELLENT FEED FOR DAIRY COWS

Auburn, Ala.—F. W. Burns, extension dairyman, is urging Alabama farmers to plant at least one acre of oats per cow to furnish early spring grazing and for grain production.

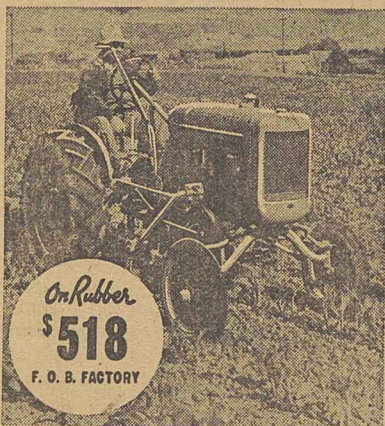
"We find that 15 bushels of corn from an acre will furnish 677 pounds of total digestible nutrients compared with 686 pounds

### Plant Oats by October 15

With very short grain crops and still shorter money crops, it is more important than ever that the farmers of Shelby County plant a good oat crop this fall. The oats should be planted on good land at the rate of 2 to 3 bushels per acre.

Farmers who do not have the ready cash may come to the office and make assignment against their cotton rental check for seed oats, vetch, inoculation and fertilizer.

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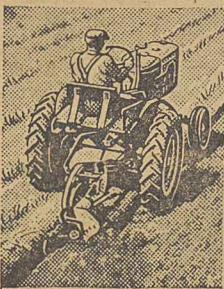


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## BOOTHTON

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Eddings spent the week end with the latter's parents in LaFayette.

Mr. Johnnie Morrison was called away recently due to the death of his mother.

Mr. Grover Green is recovering from an operation at South Highlands Infirmary.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Pike spent the week end with the former's mother in Goodwater.

Mr. Jim Gentry has returned home after an illness at South Highlands Infirmary.

Mrs. Ophelia Maise spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Rex Horton in Dogwood.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Lovelady spent the week end in Birmingham with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Underwood.

Mr. Jim Beaver is recuperating from an appendectomy.

Mr. Forrest Davis recently underwent an operation at South Highlands Infirmary.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Evans, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thomas, Billy and Bobby Evans were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claud DeMent.

Mr. Carl Kellum spent the week end in Cordova.

Miss Josephine Kellum and Mr. Hamilton Stone spent Saturday in Birmingham.

The W. M. U. met Monday evening at the church for a business session.

Miss Margaret Roland spent the week end with her family in Boothton.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Findley and Mrs. Ellis Findley spent Saturday in Birmingham.

## PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

"Some Essential Christian Convictions" is the theme of the special series of sermons which Mr. Davis will begin at the Sunday morning service. The first sermon of the series will be "The Christian Conviction About God." At the P. S. A. meeting at 7 o'clock Mr. Davis will speak on the subject, "What We Believe."

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## The 1940-1941 Community Chest Program

## The New Budget

Based on Estimated Receipts of \$1,700

For welfare service	54%
For character building agencies	43%
School band and orchestra	6%
Montevallo P. T. A.	10%
High school athletics	6%
Civic Club boy's program	5%
Girl Scouts	11%
Negro fund	5%
For operation of the Chest	3%
<b>Total</b>	<b>100%</b>

The Chest Board asks the citizens of Montevallo to contribute for this year's budget a minimum of \$1700—the same amount asked for and contributed last year and the year before. This \$1700 will provide: for welfare service \$918; for character building recreation \$730; for operating expense \$51. According to this budget, the high school band and elementary school orchestra will receive \$102; the Montevallo P. T. A. \$170; high school athletics \$102; the Civic Club program for boys \$85; Girl Scouts \$187; the fund for Negro children \$85.

## Needs and Plans

## Administration

The \$40 to \$50 used annually for operating the Montevallo Community Chest is spent chiefly for printing and postage that are called for by conducting the campaign for funds, collecting the subscriptions, and printing and distributing the annual report. The Montevallo Community Chest is operated at a cost much lower than is usual for such programs.

## Welfare Service

Last year the allotment for emergency relief was substantially increased by the Chest Board. This increase has been continued for this year. As in the past, the relief funds will be administered with great care, every case being investigated by the Welfare Department of Alabama College. Relief expenditures will be approved only when Government, or Red Cross, funds are not available to care for serious human distress.

The \$918 allocated for relief in the minimum budget above will not cover all such human needs. For this reason, all receipts above the minimum budget total will be added to the Welfare fund. Additional contributions last year amounted to nearly \$50. The Board hopes this year there will be not less than \$100 of such contributions by those who are especially concerned for the relief program.

The Welfare expenditure for last year was distributed approximately as follows: 41 per cent for school lunches; 23 per cent for hospitalization; 21 per cent for medicine; 7 per cent for groceries; 6 per cent for clothing; one-half of one per cent for maternal welfare supplies.

## Farm Fires Cause Losses Of Millions Of Dollars Annually

"When trees burn, money burns." This is the word that the Farm Security Administration is spreading among its borrowers in Alabama's rich turpentine and lumber sections during National Fire Prevention Week, October 6 to 12.

"Farmers who start forest fires are actually striking a match to one of his community's most profitable industries," James N. Dennis, FSA farm supervisor, points out. "Loss of markets due to the ending of payrolls, the loss of a chance at part-time employment, the loss of soil protection and cover for game—all caused by fire—make every farmer suffer, whether he is a di-

rect owner of timber land or not. "Every year American farmers give one hundred twenty-seven and a half million dollars to the flames. How much of this loss falls on Southern farmers can be measured from the fact that almost one-fourth of the nation's timber lands, almost a third of its lumber production, and 95 per cent of its naval stores production (1925-35) is in four southeastern states, Florida, South Carolina, Georgia, and Alabama.

"However little or much of the loss falls on Shelby County folks directly," Mr. Dennis said, "one can easily see that deliberate and careful planning of fire protection is as much a necessity for profitable farming as soil building or the selection of good seed. Three simple rules to follow are:

"1. Don't burn off woods and fields indiscriminately.  
"2. Don't use gasoline or kerosene as kindling.

"3. Keep a supply of water, dirt or sand handy as good fire insurance.

"Eighty-five per cent of farm fires are preventable, recent surveys have shown. The careless packing of hay, failure to repair faulty flues, the use of kerosene and gasoline as kindling are responsible for a large number of such preventable blazes.

"More often in this section, forest fires result from the common and lamented practice of 'burning-off' open woods and fields. While the burning does keep down larger shrubs and tall grasses, allowing a fresh crop of tender shoots to grow, the benefits are only temporary. The burning of forest floors damages standing trees, cutting their value both for turpentine and lumber, as well as destroys young seedlings. Regular burning of open fields robs the soil of natural fertilizer supplied by rotting vegeta-

## Music In the Schools

The appropriation made last year for the high school band and the elementary school orchestra has been renewed. These organizations are providing musical training for so many children and are so valuable in the life of the community that the Board would gladly have increased this allotment had not the pressure of other needs been so great.

## The P. T. A.

To appreciate the value of the school playground equipment purchased with the money provided the P. T. A. by the Chest one should visit the elementary and high schools, see the children at play, and talk with the teachers. The Montevallo schools are fortunate in the playground supervision that is provided. But the number of children has greatly increased in recent years and the P. T. A. could use to advantage much more money than it receives from the Chest.

## Athletics

Before the Chest was started the merchants of Montevallo were called on year after year to contribute from \$100 to \$150 for uniforms and other equipment necessary for the high school athletic program. The first Chest Board agreed to provide at least \$100 a year for high school athletics so that public solicitation of contributions by the high school itself would no longer be necessary.

## The Big Spring Cabin

The cabin at Big Spring, erected by the Montevallo Civic Club two years ago and financed largely by the Community Chest, will continue to be used by Boy Scouts, but it will not longer be distinctly a Scout building. Instead, the Civic Club is setting up a larger program of service for boys of all ages in various groups. Announcements of these plans will be made soon.

The cabin will be maintained by the Civic Club for the use of all of these boys and from time to time of other community groups. To assist in meeting the expense of keeping up this community building and enlarging the use of it, the Board has allocated to the Civic Club 5 per cent of the Chest budget.

## The Girl Scout House

The "Little House," erected primarily for the use of Girl Scouts on ground leased at a nominal charge by Alabama College to the Girl Scout Council, is indeed much more than an attractive Scout home. The Council has found that, without disturbing the Scout program, the house can frequently be made available for the use of other groups of young people and adults. The allotment for the building fund of this attractive and useful building has been renewed.

## The Negro Fund

Many contributors to the Chest are particularly concerned that the allotment of funds shall make some provision for a character building program for the Negro children of Montevallo. The 5 per cent allotment that appeared in the Chest budget the first two years has been restored. The funds will be used under the direction of the teachers, county supervisor, and officers of the Negro P. T. A.

tion. It kills sturdy weeds and small seedlings whose roots help to prevent erosion. Burning off a field each year will cause its erosion al-



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## WILTON NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. John Carter spent the week end with their daughter, Mrs. Joe Bell, in West Blocton.

Mr. Grover Cleveland of Randolph visited Mr. O. P. Head over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Ward and son, Curry, attended the fair in Birmingham Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Swanzy visited their daughters in Talladega and Anniston Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Alice Ambrose, Mr. Henry Little and son, Will, spent Saturday in Selma.

Mr. Herschel Day of Piper was in town Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Langston and Marjorie visited Mrs. J. S. Ward Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Burr Fancher spent a few days last week in Selma.

Mr. Houston Adams, who has been working in Birmingham, has been transferred to Atlanta.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Gay motored to Pensacola, Fla., Sunday.

most as quickly as will careless plowing and cropping."

In one hour fire can leave only a chimney standing to mark the site of a farm home it took many years of digging in the earth to pay for. Realizing that homes, the beginning of security on the farm, can be so easily destroyed, Mr. Dennis and his associates are teaching FSA borrowers the dangers of indiscriminate use of fire. Regular check-up inspections of houses and barns are made to see that all kerosene, oils and fuels are stored properly. And before winter sets in, each borrower is expected to investigate his flues and chimneys. If these are found in no fit shape for freezing weather's roaring fires, their repair is listed on farm and home plans as a "must do" job.

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SHELBY COUNTY BOYS GIVE  
DEMONSTRATIONS AT FAIR

Two Shelby County boys were selected to give demonstrations at the State Fair. They were Robert Lee Merrell and Robert McLain of the Calera 4-H Club. These boys put on demonstrations twice a day during each day of the fair. The demonstrations were treating oats, for smut and inoculating winter legume seed. The demonstrations were given in such a good manner that these boys were selected to give their demonstrations during the Governor's visit to the fair. We are proud of these boys and hope that they will continue as leaders in 4-H Club work in Shelby County.

STATE OF ALABAMA  
A PROCLAMATION  
BY THE  
GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama, at the Regular Session 1939, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that said election be held the day of the General Election next succeeding the final adjournment of the Legislature at which the election was ordered; and

WHEREAS, the First Tuesday after the First Monday in November, 1940, which is the 5th day of November, is the time for holding the General Election in 1940; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law, and by the provisions of the Act submitting said Amendment, to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each County in the State of Alabama once a week for four successive weeks immediately preceding the said 5th day of November:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Frank M. Dixon, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday, the 5th day of November, 1940, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama, in the manner and form provided by law; upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The Legislature of Alabama may hereafter, from time to time, by general or local laws, fix, regulate and alter the costs and charges of courts, fees, commissions, allowances and salaries to be charged or received by any county officer of Morgan County, including, without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the Judge of Probate, Tax Collector, Tax Assessor, Sheriff, Circuit Clerk, and Register, including the method and basis of compensation of such officer, and may provide for the placing of any such officer on a salary and that the fees, costs and allowances collected by such officer be paid into the County treasury. All acts of the regular or adjourned session of the Legislature of Alabama which convened in January 1939, fixing or purporting to fix the compensation of any such officer on a salary basis are hereby validated and confirmed."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday, the 5th day of November, 1940, upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901, be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 5th day of November, 1940, in each County in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said County.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed by the Secretary of State, at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery, on this the 12th day of September, 1940.

FRANK M. DIXON,  
Governor.

Attest:  
John Brandon,  
Secretary of State.

## BAPTIST CHURCH

The pastor will preach Sunday morning on the subject, "At the Potter's House." Sunday evening the congregation will join in the service in Palmer Auditorium, which will be the beginning of Religious Emphasis Week on the campus. Sunday School will meet at 9:45 a.m. The Baptist Training Union will meet at 6:45 p.m.

The circles of the Missionary Society will meet in homes Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Mrs. Reid's circle will meet with Mrs. A. W. Day, and Mrs. Frost's circle will meet with Mrs. W. F. Tidwell. The Sunbeams will meet Tuesday afternoon at 2:30. The G. A.'s will meet Thursday evening at 6:30.

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John Brandon,  
Secretary of State.

Shelby County Boys And Girls  
Win Prizes At State Fair"The Greatest Show  
On Earth" To Play  
In Birmingham

The Ringling Bros. and Barnum and Bailey Circus, with the world's largest big top in solid blue, improved air conditioning, a new opening spectacle, "The Return of Marco Polo," created and costumed in France by Max Weldy, and an all-new performance, star-studded by a tremendous array of new European features, will exhibit in Birmingham Thursday, October 17.

Foremost among the impressive importations is the great Alfred Count, Europe's most famous trainer, with his three famed mixed groups of performing wild animals—polar bears, Himalayan bears, Bengal tigers, lions, black and spotted leopards, Siberian snow leopards, black and spotted panthers, cougars, pumas, jaguars and Great Dane dogs, all working together in breath-taking violation of jungle law. Never before has a trainer accomplished this startling mixing of so many species of natural enemies. This is Count's first American appearance.

The leading horsemen of Europe—Hans Strassburger, Vas Concelos, and Los Aserveras—with their renowned troupes of dressage and liberty steeds bring the Big Show's horse displays to a new high. The war and big money made their importation possible, as it did scores of other troupes and stars who hitherto would not budge off the Continent.

The Greatest Show on Earth, steaming toward this territory on four long trains, with 1,600 people, 50 elephants, 1,009 menagerie animals and hundreds of horses, will open its performances at 2:15 and 8:15 daily, with doors open at 1 and 7 p.m., for public inspection of the huge menagerie, including Gargantua the Great, and the long lines of performing steeds in the new horse fair tent adjoining it.

Mr. and Mrs. Carey V. Stabler and children spent Saturday in Greenville.

Twenty Shelby County boys and girls entered their registered calves in the dairy calf club show held in Birmingham during the week of September 30. It was the best showing that the Shelby County group has made since it first entered the Calf Club competition in 1938. The competition was much stronger this year than ever before and the Shelby County Club won more money than any previous year. One reason for the better showing was the increased enthusiasm and better conditioning of the calves over last year. The following is a list of prizes won by Shelby County groups:

Guernsey—Junior calf, first place, Tommie Baker, \$12; senior calf, second place, Bobby Baker, \$10; bull calf, third place, Bobby Baker, \$8.

Jersey—Junior calf, third place, Carl Bailey, \$8; senior calf, fifth place, Helen Lokey, \$4; junior heifer, third place, Tommie Baker, \$8; sixth place, Tommie Baker, \$3; ninth place, Robert Lockeridge, \$2; senior heifer, third place, Frank Wolf, \$8; fourth place, Tensley Bradley, \$6; eighth place, Coleman Moore, \$2.

Open class Jerseys—Junior calf, fifth place, Carl Bailey, \$4; junior heifer, 6th place, Tommie Baker, \$3;

senior heifer, seventh place, Frank Wolf, \$2.

Get of Sire—third place, Tommie Baker, Robert Lockeridge, Aldon Garrett, Cecil Dennis, \$8.

County exhibit—Second place, \$40. Holstein judging—First place, Helen Lokey, trophy.

Jersey judging—Second place, Floyd Blankenship, medal.

On Monday, September 30, all of the Shelby County boys entered the judging contest which consisted of judging Jerseys, Holsteins, and Guernseys. Helen Lokey of Wilsonville won first prize in the judging of Holsteins. Her award was a nice trophy awarded by the Alabama State Fair Association. Floyd Blankenship of the Calera 4-H Club won second place and a silver medal in judging the Jersey class and Frank Wolf was second in the state, in judging all classes of dairy animals. He scored 551 out of a possible 600. Five calves were exhibited from each county to determine the best county exhibit. Shelby County boys and girls won second place in the county exhibit. Jefferson County won first.

We consider this showing very good but we want to encourage other boys and girls in the county to enter the 4-H Jersey Calf Club and help make Shelby County a better dairy county.

Rev. and Mrs. T. M. Davis, Mrs. Ted Bridges, and Mrs. W. J. Kennerly attended a Presbyterian meeting in Birmingham Monday.

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PURE PORK

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PORK

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SHOULDER

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LEAN

Pork Chops 21c

SWIFTS OR PANSY Whole or Half

Hams 20c

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## MONTEVALLO LOCAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Pendleton and family and Mrs. W. A. Hooker visited Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Wells in Selma Sunday.

Mr. Lee Wilson of Montgomery was the guest of relatives here over the week end.

Mrs. Pep Jeter and son, Pep, and Miss Jeanne Appleton attended the fair in Birmingham Saturday.

Mrs. M. L. Orr was the guest of her son, Dr. Milton Orr, in Birmingham Saturday.

Mrs. Bob Notestine and Mrs. E. P. Hood were among the shoppers to Birmingham Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Appleton and family spent Saturday in Birmingham.

Mrs. Greba Wallace spent several days of this week with relatives in Gadsden.

Mr. Pick Bridges visited friends in Boothton Saturday.

Mrs. R. H. Russell and children, June, Jane, and Joel, spent Saturday in Bessemer.

Mrs. Della Mulkey was the week end guest of relatives in Selma.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Hendrick and daughter, Margaret Ann, attended the fair in Birmingham Saturday.

Miss Retha Polk Brown of Bessemer spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Klotzman and children, Harry and Frances, were the guests of Mrs. Klotzman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Margulis, in Montgomery over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Reid and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bailey were among those who attended the fair in Birmingham last week.

Mrs. M. P. Jeter spent the week end with relatives in Birmingham. Mr. Jeter's sister, Mrs. Collins, accompanied her home for a visit.

Miss Josephine May of Bessemer was the week end guest of her mother, Mrs. J. A. May.

Miss Lela Wade Rice and Miss Elizabeth Utterback shopped in Birmingham Saturday.

Mr. Carlos Wyatt visited his parents in Clanton over the week end.

The friends of Mrs. F. F. Crowe will regret to learn of her illness. We wish for her a very speedy recovery.

Miss June Reid of Montgomery was the week end guest of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. I. Reid.

Mrs. J. H. Holder and Mrs. J. K. Ward shopped in Birmingham Saturday.

Mr. P. M. Cain, Jr., of Auburn visited friends here over the week end.

Miss Louise Watson of Montgomery spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. A. H. Watson.

Mr. Clyde Gardner, Jr., a student at Auburn, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gardner.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Baker and Mrs. Hamp Lane of Birmingham were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Mahan.

Miss Wilna McCraw of Selma spent Tuesday and Wednesday with Mrs. W. M. Wyatt.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Butler visited friends in Clanton Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. M. H. Pearson of Mobile and Mrs. Beulah Collins of Gallion were Sunday guests of Mrs. Kate Tayloe Shivers.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Wyatt and Theda and Pat were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Courtland Rutherford in Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. Lance Hubbard of Montgomery were visitors in town Sunday.

### COTTON PARITY PAYMENT REGULATIONS ANNOUNCED

Auburn, Ala. — Provisions under which cotton producers may earn 1941 parity payments are essentially the same as those in effect for the 1940 program.

A producer who participates in the 1941 AAA farm program will be eligible for payments if: (1) the 1941 planted acreage of the commodity for which payment is made does not exceed the farm acreage allotment for such commodity; (2) he plants within the total of the acreage allotments of corn, cotton, rice, tobacco and wheat established for his farm in 1941; (3) he does not offset his performance by overplanting these commodities on any other farm, wherever located, in which he has an interest.

Mrs. E. C. Criswell of Wilton spent last week in Chattanooga, attending the Church of God Assembly.

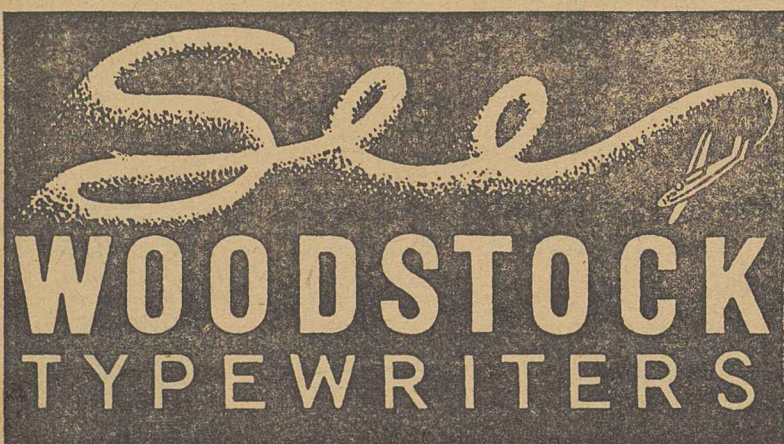
### WADESONIAN THEATRE CALERA, ALA.

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Charles Starrett in  
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Serial—Adventures of Red Ryder  
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Sun. and Mon., Oct. 13-14  
Lynn Bari, Henry Wilcoxon in  
"FREE, BLONDE AND 21"  
Comedy—Hare and the Hound

Wed. and Thurs., Oct. 16-17  
Spencer Tracey, Rita Johnson in  
"EDISON THE MAN"  
Comedy — Alfalfa's Double

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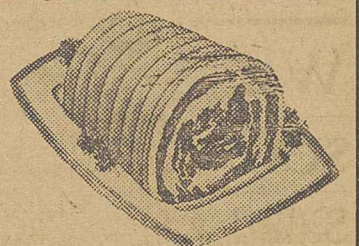
I sing this glorious land of ours,  
Its motor cars and shows,  
Its little gardens, gay with flowers,  
Its phones and radios.

Here your ambitious boy may be  
Our President if he's able,  
But what spells U.S.A. to me  
Is "meat upon the table!"

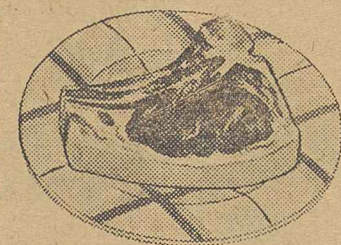
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Boneless Roll lb 25c

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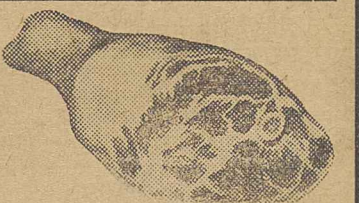
PORK CHOPS  
Center Cut lb 25c



Sausage is good three times a day

Round or Loin Steak lb 29c

To cook: Swiss Steak—Salt and pepper. Pound flour into both sides. Sear on both sides. Add sliced onions and cup of water. Simmer for one hour. Pour one cup sour cream around steak. Continue cooking until done.



Leg-O-Lamb  
lb 29c

Lamb Patties

6 for 25c



To cook: Sear in hot fat on one side. Season and bake in slow oven (300 degrees F.) until bacon is crisp and patties are done through and through. Serve with creamed potatoes and Waldorf salad.



Boneless Rump  
Roast lb 25c

Hams, whole or half lb 20c

GROUND BEEF lb 20c

Oysters, Fish, Beef, Poultry, Pork, Lamb

EAT MORE MEAT



## Local Club Observes National Business Women's Week

In keeping with the spirit of the theme of the National Business and Professional Women's Club, the local chapter, with the might of local cooperation, is this week celebrating National Business Women's Week. Miss Dawn Kennedy, head of the art department of Alabama College, with a group of students who are being trained for business, have carefully planned and executed a series of window displays throughout the downtown section. These windows pictorially call on all voters to make democracy work by actually casting their vote for the candidates of their own choice. The historical status of women in our political life is sketched in one window, in another our patriotic voting duty is stressed, while another shows that the present day woman can be a charming hostess and yet have time to take her rightful place in the political issues of the state and national government.

Alice L. Manning, national legislative chairman, says: "Now is the time to get to know the distinguished men and women who are seeking your vote on November 5, those who would like to represent you in the U. S. Congress, in your state legislature, in your local government as well as those who would be your governor, your mayor, and your county officials. Now is the time to speak for yourself — through your vote. Oppose all who have favored laws and executive orders which have been discriminating and undemocratic."

The National organization has just published a pamphlet, "State vs. Married Woman Worker," prepared by Dorothy D. Crook. "In the past year, while the married woman worker has been the center of spir-

ited debate in the public press and on lecture platforms, the courts have been weighing her rights as a citizen of this democracy. "The Supreme Court of Massachusetts handed down on June 29, 1939, an advisory opinion declaring that all the proposed bills which would exclude married women from public employment would be contrary to the 'due process' and the 'equal protection' clauses of the federal and state constitutions," the pamphlet states.

"Just a year later the District Court of Appeals in California decided that a city ruling barring state employment to a 'married person' whose spouse was also employed by the state was arbitrary, capricious, and therefore, unconstitutional."

Besides presenting a thoroughly documented legal brief, the new Federation pamphlet offers the first and only compilation of all existing legislative and executive restrictions on the right of married women to work in the United States and foreign countries. Legal restrictions in the United States now take the form of executive orders by state officials, municipal ordinances, and school board regulations. All proposed bills in the state legislatures have been defeated, and the one law which was passed has been repealed. All attempts on the part of the federal government to bar employment because of marital status have also been cancelled.

The history of the restrictions on women in Germany since 1933 gives a hint of the way women can become the football of government policy when deprived of all freedom to choose their life's work in accordance with their own personal abilities and tastes, Miss Crook says. In 1933 a government order was promulgated which made it unlawful to hire a wife or daughter of a male wage earner. In December, 1938, the government decreed that women workers could go back into industry and commerce. And by March, 1940, the editor of the newspaper known as the organ of the Elite Guard was demanding that every woman be forced to work by government decree!

But, according to Miss Crook, "It is encouraging to note that a large number of states have countered the trend of discrimination because of marriage and have specially pro-

vided through civil service codes that public employment should be based on merit, regardless of sex or economic or marital status. Out of the eighteen teacher tenure laws in existence, only three provide specifically that marriage is not a just cause for dismissal. These three laws are in effect in Kentucky, New Jersey and North Carolina."

This study also reveals that in 1937, for example, Argentina passed a law prohibiting inclusion of provisions for dismissal on marriage in employment contracts.

A clear and definite guarantee was given to women in Cuba in 1935. Legislative decree No. 598 declares that "women shall have the same right to be employed as men."

Two provinces in Canada, Alberta and British Columbia, passed in 1930 and 1931 laws which provide that no person shall be disqualified by reason of sex or marriage from the exercise of any public function or from entering, assuming or carrying on any civil profession or vocation.

The Honorable Frank M. Dixon, Governor of our own state, said recently in a proclamation relative to this week: "The National Business and Professional Women's Club, with its over 70,000 members in these United States, Hawaii, Cuba and Alaska, has as its keynote of the biennium study of 'Business Women in a Democracy' these challenging words, 'Making Democracy Work,' which is a fitting keynote in the chaos of today when people wonder if human freedom, or kindness, or tolerance and mercy can survive the forces of hate and destruction in the world."

He further adds: "The object of the study is to direct the thinking of women in business and the professions to the problems of our times in order to help safeguard the economic, social and political future of American women by the preservation of democracy."

### SCS SEARCHING FOR NEW EROSION CONTROL PLANTS

Auburn, Ala.—Over 80 million plants are now growing on more than 500 acres of nursery land in the Southeast for erosion control purposes, reports O. C. Metlock, Alabama co-ordinator of the Soil Conservation Service.

The greatest number of these

plants is kudzu. Second largest in number is tree seedlings. In all, a total of 39 different erosion control plants are in quantity production.

Besides that, more than 600 varieties of plants with erosion-control possibilities are being tried. Of these about 300 have been collected in the Southeastern states. The others were sent from other sections of the country to be tried out under southeastern conditions.

Observational nurseries are located at Thorsby, Ala., and Chapel Hill, N. C.

When a promising plant is discovered, seed are sent to these nurseries. There a small planting is made for observation. If the seed come up, and the plant thrives, seed are collected and sent to other nurseries in other sections of the United States for observation under different conditions. After the plant shows promise as a soil-conserving plant, workers all over the Southeast are supplied with seed for actual field trials.

## Son Is Born To Mr. And Mrs. Bray

The following news item published in Evansville, Ind., will be of interest to many people in Montevallo:

"The Buster Brays gave Evansville a true world series baby yesterday."

"A 10½-pound son was born to Mrs. Bray at 12:15 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the St. Mary's Hospital, just 15 minutes before the first ball was pitched in yesterday's Detroit-Cincinnati game."

"The Brays immediately named the lad Robert Neill—the Robert after Manager Bob Coleman and the Neill after Buster's grandfather."

"Mrs. Bray was reported 'doing nicely,' and hospital attaches said the baby was the biggest in the ward."

"Buster" is Clarence Bray and Mrs. Bray is the former Miss Lois Blake. Mr. Bray is a member of the Evansville baseball team.

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Bridal Bouquet Soap 6 for 25c

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STATE SOIL CONSERVATION COMMITTEE OF ALABAMA

Notice of referendum on creation of Proposed North Central Soil Conservation District, embracing lands lying in the Counties of Bibb, Blount, Chilton, Cullman, Jefferson and Shelby, in the State of Alabama.

To all owners of lands lying within the proposed North Central Soil Conservation District, comprising the territory described as follows:

All lands lying within Bibb, Blount, Chilton, Cullman, Jefferson, and Shelby Counties, within the State of Alabama.

Notice is hereby given that on the 26 day of October, 1940, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m., a referendum will be held in the said territory upon the proposition of the creation of the North Central Soil Conservation District as a governmental subdivision and a public body, corporate and politic, under the provisions of the Soil Conservation Districts Law of this State.

All persons, firms and corporations who shall hold title to farm, forest or grazing lands lying within the said territory, are eligible to vote. Only such persons, firms and corporations are eligible to vote.

Voting divisions and polling places for the referendum are as follows for Shelby County:

Beats 1, 2, 8 and 9, Columbiana, court house.  
Beats 9 and 10, Wilsonville, Weldon's Store.  
Beats 10, 11 and 16, Harpersville, Donahoo's Store.  
Beats 10, 15 and 16, Vincent, McGraw's Store.  
Beats 14 and 15, Vandiver, post office.  
Beat 18, Dunnivant, post office.  
Beat 11, Westover, post office.  
Beats 8 and 13, Chelsea, post office.

Beats 12 and 13, New Hope, school.  
Beat 17, Pelham, Word's Store.  
Beats 7, 19 and 21, Siluria, Roy's

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DENTIST  
Mitchell Building  
Montevallo, Ala.

Store.  
Beat 19, Maylene, Litt's Store.  
Beats 4, 7, 20 and 21, Montevallo, Legion Hut.

Beats 3, 4 and 7, Calera, City Hall.  
Beats 1 and 2, Shelby, Company Store.

Beats 5, 6, 17 and 19, Helena, Wallace's Store.

Eligible voters residing within the proposed district shall cast their ballots at the polling place for the division wherein they reside. Eligible voters not residing within the proposed district shall cast their ballots at the polling place for the division which includes their land, or the greater part thereof. Eligible voters who will be absent from their division on the day of the referendum may apply in person or in writing to Mr. J. F. Wyatt, Polling Superintendent, at Rt. 1, Vincent, Ala., for absentee ballots. Each applicant for an absentee ballot shall state his name, residence, location and acreage of land owned, and interest therein.

STATE SOIL CONSERVATION COMMITTEE

By P. O. Davis, Chairman  
Dated this 25 day of September, 1940.

NATIONAL COLLEGIATE PLAYERS HOSTESSES AT TEA

The National Collegiate Players were hostesses Sunday afternoon, from 3:30 to 5:30, with a tea at the home of Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Trumbauer. The home was beautifully decorated with autumn leaves, flowers, and fruit.

Miss Marjorie Brabston was initiated into the organization. Guests at this event were faculty members and students who are specially interested in dramatic work.

WANT ADS

LAND FOR SALE — 100 acres of farm land. Price \$550. 60 acres in pasture, 30 acres level land, with lasting water. Three-room house, big barn, well with lasting water. Good road runs by the house. North east of Montevallo 3 miles. Known as the Bob Allen place on Spring Creek.—T. A. Bearden, Montevallo. 10-3-3t.

DOCTORS' OFFICE BUILDING BEGUN BY HUBBARD-PARNELL

The office building of Dr. Leslie Hubbard and Dr. L. C. Parnell now under construction is progressing rapidly. This is another modern enterprise which testifies to the growth of Montevallo. It is located on Shelby Street next door to the Coca-Cola plant. The brick veneer structure will consist of ten rooms including individual offices and consultation rooms for the doctors and waiting rooms for both white and colored. Common X-ray room and laboratories are planned for the benefit of both doctors and patients. Two rooms will be equipped with beds for patients who need hospital treatment.

Ebenezer News

Brother Frank Johnson is conducting a revival this week. Everyone is invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Otha Garrett visited Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Garrett Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pal Brantley visited in our community Saturday night.

Mrs. Jimmy Vernon spent the week end with Mrs. R. L. Pate in Spring Creek.

We are glad to hear that little

David Finley is doing fine.

We are also glad to see that Mrs. J. D. Holcombe is able to be out again.

We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Mack Hicks in our community.

Miss Mary Holcombe spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Holcombe.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Davis spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Holcombe.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Frost visited

Mrs. Johnson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Holcombe are proud parents of a baby girl whom they have named Lyndia Fay.

Mrs. Reynolds spent the week end with Mrs. Erskine Killingsworth.

STUDIOSIS MEETING

There will be a called meeting of Studiosis at 7:45 in the Trustees Room of Palmer Hall Friday evening, October 11. This meeting will be over in time for the concert.

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P E A C H E S can 15c

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Sardines 3 for 25c

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## Merchants Plan Trade Expansion Celebration

### One Full Week Of "Get Better Acquainted" Activities Is In Store For Oct. 28-Nov. 2

**Business Men Will Visit Territory Surrounding Montevallo On Tour of Good - Will**

"Let's Get Better Acquainted" is the theme song of the Merchants Association of Montevallo for the big trade expansion celebration which they are planning for one whole week, October 28 to November 2. Invitation to participate in this event will be broadcast to every person in reach of this town within the next week.

It will be more than a sales event by the merchants. Many things of special interest are planned for each day of the week. The merchants want everybody to come to town, stay as long as you wish, and have a good time.

When the program is completed it will contain something of interest to farmers, laborers, miners, young folks, old folks, in fact, everybody in this part of the county.

Within the next week it is planned to have a caravan of automobiles to go out from Montevallo on a good-will tour of the surrounding districts. The merchants and business men of the town will make this trip. They plan to visit farms, mines, factories, and talk with people wherever they find them. On this trip they will personally invite everybody to come to Montevallo and take part in the "Get Acquainted" celebration.

A special 16-page edition of The Montevallo Times next week will go into every home in reach of Montevallo telling all about the plans of this gala affair.

The streets of the town are now being decorated for the occasion. Flag liners, streamers, and bunting will put a holiday appearance on the whole place. All of the stores will be gaily decorated.

To top the big week off will be the Community Fair at the high school on Friday night, November 1, and Saturday, November 2.

#### MISS GUILLEN SPEAKS TO CIRCLE NO. 2

Circle No. 2 of the Baptist Missionary Society met at the home of Mrs. W. F. Tidwell Monday afternoon, October 14.

Mrs. F. H. Frost, the circle leader, led the devotional. After a short business meeting Mrs. Frost introduced the guest, Miss Isabel Guillen, a student at Alabama College. Miss Guillen is from San Pedro Sula, Honduras. She gave a most interesting talk on the conditions in Honduras.

Later in the afternoon delicious refreshments were served to the following members: Mesdames Frost, Cooper Shaw, Jim Woolley, Reese Woolley, R. F. Ray, W. J. Mitchell, F. P. Givhan, J. I. Reid, M. F. Grady, Edwin Allen, J. L. Bridges, Pelham Thomas, the hostess, Mrs. Tidwell, and the guest, Miss Guillen.

#### B. P. W. BANQUET

The Montevallo Business and Professional Women's Club will hold its annual banquet at the Methodist Church at 7 p.m. Thursday, October 24. The committee in charge of arrangements is: Mrs. J. A. Brown, Miss Loretta Skelly, and Dr. Joyce Kellogg. In spite of the formality which usually is present on such occasions, this trio promises rare and amusing entertainment during the course of the evening. Each other organization in the city will be invited to send representatives from their individual group.



**Adjutant - General Ben M. Smith** who, as director of selective service for the state, had full supervision of registering on Wednesday, October 16, of all male citizens of Alabama between the ages of 21 and 35, and will direct the work of the 155 draft boards whose members have been recommended by Gov. Frank M. Dixon for appointment by President Roosevelt. General Smith, himself a World War veteran, is a native of Alabama. He was born and reared in Tuscaloosa County.

### Class Production Will Mark Debut Of Fifteen Freshmen

No Broadway opening night will ever be so exciting to fifteen Alabama College freshmen as the evening of Wednesday, October 23, when the freshman play is presented in Palmer Auditorium. For, on that night, fifteen young actresses will make their campus debut in Juliet Wilbor Tompkin's delightful comedy, "Once There Was a Princess." Ermine capes and limousines may be lacking, but certainly the thrill of "opening night" will be there—a thrill that cannot be compared to any other experience in their young lives. The smell of greasepaint, the final adjustments to the scenery, the last-minute smoothings of costumes, and, finally the stage manager's order, "Curtain," are experiences that will never be forgotten. No matter how many roles they play, no matter how far they go—Hollywood or Broadway—their prayers for acceptance by the audience will never be so fervent nor their joy so great as when the final curtain falls in the midst of thunderous applause.

The play itself is centered around a plain, middle-western family, the Boyds, into whose home comes the Princess for a visit—a Princess they knew long ago as Ellen Guthrie, a simple, lovable, little girl. The excitement caused in Millertown, Indiana, the scene of the play, by the news that royalty is coming to visit is at fever pitch. But what Millertown and the Boyds expect, and what they get makes a genuine and human story that is better left for the actors to unfold.

The Princess is played by Thelma Hassler, a Birmingham girl, well able to take her place with the best the campus has to offer, both as to beauty and talent. Able support

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### Quiz Program To Feature College Professorial Talent

The first radio quiz program to feature college professors for talent will go on the air waves this week when Alabama College presents a program called "Probing the Professors" which will be aired each Saturday evening from 6:45 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. over Radio Station WAPI in Birmingham.

According to Miss Nora Landmark, radio specialist at Alabama College, "Probing the Professors" will be a series of question-answer programs during which faculty members of the various academic departments will answer questions supplied by students, alumnae, and the listening audience. First department to be put on the spot will be the sociology professors, who open the series Saturday, October 19, at 6:45 p.m.

A special source of questions will be former students of the college who are being encouraged to send in questions that they always wanted to ask while they were students at Montevallo but never quite had the nerve.

#### "Learning the Language of Music"

In addition to "Probing the Professors," the Alabama College School of the Air will continue the program called "Learning the Language of Music," conducted by Mrs. Josephine Waller, designed for the Alabama elementary school child. At 2:00 p.m. each Tuesday afternoon throughout the school year, this program will stress active participation in a music class. School children all over Alabama will listen with their teacher in the classroom while Mrs. Waller conducts a studio class of unrehearsed elementary students. Rhythm, score reading, and many folk songs will be taught in this radio series which begins Tuesday, October 22.

The third phase of radio activity which will originate on the campus of Alabama College this year will be a college talent program, presented each Thursday night at 9:30. This weekly series will feature dramatic and musical programs involving faculty and student artists; the College Orchestra under direction of Professor York Kildea; the Glee Club under direction of Professor H. D. LeBaron; and the entire student body once each month in a Step Singing program.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mann, Misses Virginia Mann and Ann May, of Roanoke, were Sunday visitors of

Miss Eleanor Mabry of Calera was the week end guest of Miss Sara Rose Cook.

### Mr. Wooten Reports Excellent Progress In Community Chest Campaign

The temperature on the Community Chest thermometer has gone up several degrees each day this week, indicating that the solicitors are turning in a constant stream of pledges from people of the community.

Mr. L. W. Wooten, chairman of the solicitation campaign, started off the job with a thorough and efficient organization of his forces. His machine fairly "clicked" from the start, and indications are that the work of pledging the Chest budget will be completed this year in record time.

In an interview Tuesday Mr. Wooten said:

"We have had wonderful cooperation and excellent work on the part of the solicitors, and a very fine

### Community Fair To Be Held At High School Will Exhibit Home And Farm Products

A Community Fair will be held at the Montevallo High School Friday night, November 1, and Saturday, November 2. It is sponsored by the Montevallo Merchants Association, the Montevallo High School, and the clubs of the various communities surrounding Montevallo.

The fair is a part of the week's program of Montevallo's big trade expansion and "Let's Get Better Acquainted Celebration," which begins on Monday, October 28, and extends through Saturday, November 2.

The purpose of the Community Fair is to stimulate interest in building a better community. One of the means of building a better community

### Auxiliary To Hold Conference Of Fifth District Here

In accordance with the Department Constitution and By-Laws, a conference of the Fifth District American Legion Auxiliary, Department of Alabama, will be held Wednesday, October 23, at the Baptist Church in Montevallo. The meeting will be called to order at 10:30 a.m.

#### Purpose

The conference will be called for the purpose of outlining the year's work and to gain inspiration and information from department chairmen and committees and for transacting of such other business as may pertain to the district organization.

Mrs. E. A. McBride, department president, and other officials will attend the conference. Among the units represented will be Bessemer, Calera, Clanton, Ensley, Fairfield, Homewood, Tarrant, Warrior, and Birmingham. The units of Birmingham expected are Central Park, General Bare, General Gorgas, and North Jefferson.

Lunch will be served at 1 p.m. at the church with members of the Montevallo unit in charge of arrangements. Price of plates will be fifty cents each. Reservations should be made on or before Monday, October 21, with Mrs. P. D. Pendleton, Montevallo, or with Mrs. R. L. Gandy, Birmingham, telephone 3-4573.

Fifty-five delegates are expected to attend the conference.

#### GALLOWAY-WARNER

Miss Dorothy Galloway of Montgomery, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Galloway, and Mr. James B. Warner of New Orleans were married in Montgomery Saturday night, October 12.

ity is to improve living conditions by increasing the number and amount of products grown for home consumption and for sale. It seems fairly safe, therefore, for us to go strong on raising products for home living and in this way increase our purchasing power to offset any threat to our standard of living. The sponsors feel that through the fair, interest in home living will be increased, and that from this small beginning much good can be accomplished over a period of years.

In the spirit and sense of this broad purpose the faculty of our high school is working hard upon every possibility to make the Community Fair as interesting, as educational, as stimulating as it can be made, and to secure representation of every phase of interest of every group of citizens in this section of the county.

#### Educational Exhibits

Exhibits of an educational nature will be made by the following agencies: Tennessee Valley Authority, Agricultural Adjustment Administration, Farm Security Administration, Shelby County Health Department, Social Security Administration, National Youth Administration, Shelby County Library Association, Shelby County Farm Demonstration Office, Soil Conservation Service, Alabama Department of Conservation, and the schools.

#### Competitive Exhibits

For competitive exhibits prizes will be offered as follows:

1. For the best community club exhibit, first prize \$5; second prize \$3; third prize \$1.50.
2. For the best class exhibit, first prize \$10; second prize \$7.50; third prize \$5; fourth prize \$2.50; fifth prize \$1.50. The elementary school and all schools of neighboring communities are invited to compete in this class exhibit.

#### Foods

Exhibits are requested of any and all kinds of home-produced and home-prepared foods, such as layer cake, home made candy, cookies, rolls, biscuit, corn bread, loaf cake, sponge cake, angel food cake, pound cake, pies, pickles, canned vegetables, canned fruit, canned soup mixture, loaf bread, jelly, cheese straws, preserves, most attractive school lunch.

#### Farm Products

Farmers are requested to bring exhibits of their products, such as 12 ears of corn, bunch of peanuts, bunch of sugar cane, bale of hay, display of green vegetables, sweet potatoes, Irish potatoes.

#### Home Equipment

Many homes have interesting items of inexpensive equipment which will make interesting exhibits. In this line you are asked to show such things as foot stool, dressing tables, ironing board, what-nots, upholstering, rugs, etc. Miscellaneous things of particular interest or of historical significance will provide good exhibit. Who can show the most interesting hobby display?

#### Clothing and Needle Work

This group should be one of the most varied at the fair. It may include such things as crocheted, etc.

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The Montevallo Times

## Conserving The Farm Lands

By A. A. Lauderdale  
County Agent

The ultimate objective of soil conservation is the maintenance of permanent productivity of the land while using it for maximum economic productivity. To attain this objective, it is necessary that fertility be maintained and the soil held in place. Since the productivity of large areas of the farm lands in most localities has already been seriously impaired—some areas even totally destroyed—by erosion and misuse, the problem is to develop in those who use the land conservation habits that will maintain the remaining soil assets at a permanent level of economic productiveness.

Each of the 275,000 farms in Alabama is a unit with distinctive differences and specific problems of its own. A practical soil conservation program must of necessity be based on existing conditions which involve primarily the land, the people and the climate. Each field or tract of land has certain characteristics. A sound program of soil conservation must provide for the use and management of each tract of land according to its adaptabilities and capabilities. If, however, the program is to be feasible, it must also meet the economic and social demands of the farm of which the tract is a part and of the farmer who operates the farm. Erosion control, to be permanently effective and economically practical, involves more than the installation and maintenance of engineering and vegetative measures. It involves land use planning, cropping practices, including crop rotations pasture management, woodland management, and many other phases of general farm operation. In some instances it may even require a complete reorganization of the system of farming and the farm layout. The starting of such a program on any farm entails careful planning by individuals properly informed on the various factors involved.

Most farmers, given a limited amount of guidance, are qualified to institute the conservation measures needed on their farm. However, many farmers are attempting to install conservation farming methods without a definite plan to guide their operations. Thousands of land

owners throughout the state are requesting assistance in planning for their farms a practical program of soil conservation. This assistance will be made available to the farmers of Shelby County if the land owners approve the organization of the North Central Soil Conservation District in the referendum to be held on October 26.

Every land owner who is interested in conserving the soil on his farm should not fail to vote in this referendum.

**STATEMENT OF OWNERSHIP,** management, circulation, etc., required by the Acts of Congress of August 24, 1912, and March 3, 1933, of The Montevallo Times, published weekly at Montevallo, Alabama, for October 1, 1940. State of Alabama, County of Shelby, ss.

Before me, a notary public, in and for the state and county aforesaid, personally appeared W. M. Wyatt, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the publisher of the Montevallo Times and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management (and if a daily paper, the circulation), etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, as amended by the Act of March 3, 1933, embodied in section 537, Postal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse of this form, to wit:

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W. M. WYATT,  
Publisher.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 15th day of October, 1940.  
SALLIE HOOKER,  
Notary Public

Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Anderson spent the week end with relatives in Birmingham.

## Two Home Demonstration Clubs Organized

Home Demonstration Clubs at Wilton and Wilsonville were recently organized. Twenty members have enrolled in each of these clubs. Mrs. G. H. Stewart was elected president at Wilsonville, Mrs. R. J. Roy, vice-president; Mrs. B. F. Hixon, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. J. H. Reinhardt, county council director; and Mrs. J. C. Mooney and Mrs. H. G. McEwen, demonstration leaders.

The officers elected for the Wilton Club are: Mrs. D. M. Whetstone, president; Mrs. Jesse Barnes, vice-president; Mrs. Hoya Splawn, secretary; Mrs. Grover Cleveland, county council director; Mrs. D. T. Causey and Mrs. W. G. Lucas, demonstration leaders.

The organization of these clubs brings the total number of Home Demonstration Clubs in Shelby County to 19.

Among the Auburn students at home for the week end were Bob Anderson, Bill Wilson, and Wiley Fancher.

## Teacher Retirement Plan Will Begin One Year From Now

Montgomery, Ala. — Eligible Alabama school teachers can retire a year from now when the \$150,000 Governor Frank M. Dixon has allocated to the retirement fund is placed in operation. This prediction came last week from W. H. McGregor, secretary-treasurer of the Teacher Retirement System.

The retirement system was set up under the Dixon administration with an initial annual appropriation of \$10,000 to lay the foundation for the work. Mr. McGregor stated that he is now engaged in learning which of the state's 20,000 teachers want to enroll in the system, and what their service records are.

The law concerning the retirement set-up provides that the state shall appropriate to the fund the first \$400,000 above the general balance, but the amount has not been available. The \$150,000 allocation last week was the starter toward realization of the plan. The amount was obtained by holding open the tax books a few days after beginning of the new fiscal year. State

officials agree that the entire \$400,000 amount will be available in October, 1941.

Under the plan teachers may retire at 60; must retire at 70. Not before 1943, however, can they benefit before reaching the age of 70.

Mr. McGregor said that the first phase of his work would be completed by June 15. Then detailed tabulations of the projects will go to a New York actuary, who is to give him advice as to how much state funds will be necessary to balance the three and one-half per cent of their salaries the teachers will pay.

Mrs. Greba Wallace has returned to her home after a visit with relatives in Gadsden.

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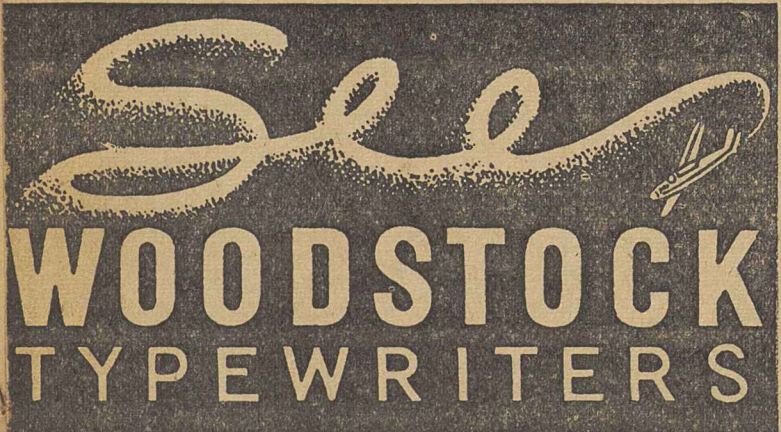
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# STATE OF ALABAMA A PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama, at the Regular Session 1939, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that said election be held the day of the General Election next succeeding the final adjournment of the Legislature at which the election was ordered; and

WHEREAS, the First Tuesday after the First Monday in November, 1940, which is the 5th day of November, is the time for holding the General Election in 1940; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law, and by the provisions of the Act submitting said Amendment, to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each County in the State of Alabama once a week for four successive weeks immediately preceding the said 5th day of November:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Frank M. Dixon, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday, the 5th day of November, 1940, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama, in the manner and form provided by law; upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The Legislature of Alabama may hereafter, from time to time, by general or local laws, fix, regulate and alter the fees, commissions, allowances and salaries to be charged or received by any county officer of Morgan County, including, without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the Judge of Probate, Tax Collector, Tax Assessor, Sheriff, Circuit Clerk, and Register, including the method and basis of compensation of such officer, and may provide for the placing of any such officer on a salary and that the fees, costs and allowances collected by such officer be paid into the County treasury. All acts of the regular or adjourned session of the Legislature of Alabama which convened in January 1939, fixing or purporting to fix the compensation of any such officer on a salary basis are hereby validated and confirmed."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday, the 5th day of November, 1940, upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901, be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 5th day of November, 1940, in each County in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said County.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed by the Secretary of State, at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery, on this the 12th day of September, 1940.

FRANK M. DIXON,  
Governor.

Attest:  
John Brandon,  
Secretary of State.

Mrs. George Pitts and Mrs. C. D. Galloway shopped in Birmingham Tuesday.

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Mr. Clyde Gardner of Auburn was the week end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gardner.

# STATE SOIL CONSERVATION COMMITTEE OF ALABAMA

Notice of referendum on creation of Proposed North Central Soil Conservation District, embracing lands lying in the Counties of Bibb, Blount, Chilton, Cullman, Jefferson and Shelby, in the State of Alabama.

To all owners of lands lying within the proposed North Central Soil Conservation District, comprising the territory described as follows:

All lands lying within Bibb, Blount, Chilton, Cullman, Jefferson, and Shelby Counties, within the State of Alabama.

Notice is hereby given that on the 26 day of October, 1940, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m., a referendum will be held in the said territory upon the proposition of the creation of the North Central Soil Conservation District as a governmental subdivision and a public body, corporate and politic, under the provisions of the Soil Conservation Districts Law of this State.

All persons, firms and corporations who shall hold title to farm, forest or grazing lands lying within the said territory, are eligible to vote. Only such persons, firms and corporations are eligible to vote.

Voting divisions and polling places for the referendum are as follows for Shelby County:

Beats 1, 2, 8 and 9, Columbiana, court house.

Beats 9 and 10, Wilsonville, Weldon's Store.

Beats 10, 11 and 16, Harpersville, Donahoo's Store.

Beats 10, 15 and 16, Vincent, McGraw's Store.

Beats 14 and 15, Vandiver, post office.

Beat 18, Dunnavant, post office.

Beat 11, Westover, post office.

Beats 8 and 13, Chelsea, post office.

Beats 12 and 13, New Hope, school.

Beat 17, Pelham, Word's Store.

Beats 7, 19 and 21, Siluria, Roy's Store.

Beat 19, Maylene, Litt's Store.

Beats 4, 7, 20 and 21, Montevallo, Legion Hut.

Beats 3, 4 and 7, Calera, City Hall.

Beats 1 and 2, Shelby, Company Store.

Beats 5, 6, 17 and 19, Helena, Wallace's Store.

Eligible voters residing within the proposed district shall cast their ballots at the polling place for the division wherein they reside. Eligible voters not residing within the proposed district shall cast their ballots at the polling place for the division which includes their land, or the greater part thereof. Eligible voters who will be absent from their division on the day of the referendum may apply in person or in writing to Mr. J. F. Wyatt, Polling Superintendent, at Rt. 1, Vincent, Ala., for absentee ballots. Each applicant for an absentee ballot shall state his name, residence, location and acreage of land owned, and interest therein.

STATE SOIL CONSERVATION COMMITTEE

By P. O. Davis, Chairman  
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# LOCAL NEWS OF CALERA

The Calera W. C. T. U. will hold its October meeting at Twin Oaks. There will be a luncheon at 1 o'clock with the business session to follow. A number of state officers are expected to be present.

Mrs. R. C. Curtis returned Wednesday from New Orleans after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. W. N. Baxter.

Mrs. Dick Martin visited her mother, Mrs. Lester, in Columbiana last Wednesday night.

The W. S. C. S. of the Calera Methodist Church will have its business meeting at the church Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Miss Myrtle King and Miss Margie Crowson spent the week end in Birmingham.

Miss Lavada Curtis of Auburn spent Sunday with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. R. C. Curtis.

Mrs. A. L. Sanders of Birmingham spent Sunday with her father, Mr. H. T. Brown.

Mrs. J. H. Rothberg of Hollywood, Cal., and Mrs. Homer Bearden of Columbiana were the guests of Mrs. F. Martin Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Ozley have returned from their honeymoon and are at home in an apartment with Mrs. R. L. Holcombe.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ozley and daughter of Birmingham spent Sunday afternoon with Dr. and Mrs. R. C. Curtis.

Mr. and Mrs. Judson Salter and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Samford of Opelika attended the football game in Birmingham Saturday and on their return had dinner with Mrs. Z. S. Cowart.

Messrs Clark and Britton Waters attended the Auburn-Mississippi State football game in Birmingham Saturday.

Mr. Z. S. Cowart, Mrs. R. L. Veazey and Miss Frances Starnes went to Freenville last Friday afternoon. Mr. William Eddins, Mrs. Veazey's son who teachers there, came back with them.

The third lesson in W. S. C. S. mission study will be conducted

Friday afternoon by Mrs. Z. S. Cowart, Jr., with Mrs. F. Martin's group assisting. The meetings are held at the home of Mrs. R. E. Bowdon, Jr., who is superintendent of study for the Women's Society for Christian Service.

Mr. V. F. Smith, Jr., has gone to Baltimore, Md., to accept work. He has a brother, Charles, living in Baltimore.

Friends were sorry to hear that Mr. Quinton Culver has been at home sick. He works in Birmingham with American Bakeries.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Camp went to Hanceville last Wednesday for the day and brought Mrs. Turner home with them for a visit.

The Calera P. T. A. is sponsoring a program showing slides on "Preservation of Native Shrubs and Flowers and Wildlife." This will be a wonderful opportunity for instruction of children. Come and bring the young folks to see these slides.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Parker, Jr., have returned home after a delightful visit in Demopolis.

Miss Mildred Houston of Birmingham spent the week end at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Houston.

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## Let's Get Better Acquainted

Sponsors of the "Let's Get Better Acquainted Celebration" and the Community Fair in Montevallo have a mutual and genuine purpose toward stimulating interest in building a better community. It is not a plan for a big spurt of one week and then quit. It is a long-time proposition that is going to be followed up consistently from time to time in the future.

All of our people are interested and much concerned about better living conditions. All of us want our farmer citizens to become able to produce more things for home consumption and for sale. We want our industrial population to have good jobs, get good pay, and enjoy ample means of providing their families with the comforts and conveniences of a happy and prosperous life. We want our industries to thrive upon production levels that will enable them to meet profitably a full consumer demand for their products. We want our merchants to enjoy the benefits that belong to them through trade with the people who live in this territory and make their living here. Such is the teaching of our schools.

To this end of mutual benefit one to another the various agencies whose destiny is rooted in this section of the earth—and whose future rests in and on our mutual welfare—have combined in a program that is planned to make us better acquainted with each other, to better understand each other, and to help one another in the achievement of spiritual and material advantages that will make all of us happier and better citizens.

If you want to subscribe to a program as big and as promising as this program for Montevallo and surrounding communities, you are asked to take your place in Montevallo's week of "Let's Get Better Acquainted Celebration," October 28 to November 2.

We must make this a better community. We can do it. We will do it. We shall no longer be content as merely "the west side of Shelby County."

## This Flag of Ours

In these present days of universal chaos, an ever-increasing number of Americans cling to the flag of this country in the belief that it is the only guarantee of human welfare and human dignity in a world beset by dark and evil forces.

At such a time, it is particularly appropriate to envision what the flag might say to the citizens of the United States if it were suddenly gifted with a voice. A. W. Hawkes, president of Congoleum-Nairn, Inc., did just that recently in the following stirring words, which need no further comment:

"I, as your flag, represent true democracy in the representative form. I am only 163 years old, but before I took form and became a reality, millions of people throughout the world had given up their lives trying to give me birth. . . .

"If you would not fail me, you will preserve me in what I represent for you and those to follow. Your work in preserving me is only the fulfillment of your obligation to principle and justice and those who created me for you. They gave to you, through me, liberty and freedom and the opportunity for individual accomplishment—fair reward for services and the protection of the law in the rightful enjoyment of property legally acquired.

"I leave you with this thought: I, your flag, will mean just what you make me mean. I will stand for you and what you are and what you do. I can be no more and no less than the representative of your character, courage and nobility of purpose. I hope you will never forsake the things I stand for and I hope your acts will enable me always to hold my head high any place on earth, proceeding always in the interest of justice, in the support of the will of God on earth, and in promoting the development of mankind in rightful happiness.

"May you never forget your obligation in return for your privileges—and remember, I shall be with you always, if you make me stay."

## SHELBY COUNTY'S PROBLEM

Our neighboring county of Shelby, like many another place, has its share of good, respectable, law-abiding people and its share of people who sometimes violate the law. On the whole, Shelby is no better, no worse, than hundreds of other counties in this wide country of ours.

But Shelby is known widely over Alabama as a county that votes dry, yet continues to turn out illicit liquor by the barrel. Even during Alabama's period of "bone-dry" prohibition, Shelby County suffered a bad reputation because of the activities of bootleggers. It was, in the dry era, considered one of the wettest counties in Alabama. And today, though legally dry, Shelby is illegally wet.

Federal Judge T. A. Murphree took judicial notice of Shelby County's reputation as a bootlegger's haven last week when he said: "That's the worst part of the state down there in Shelby County. As long as they keep making liquor down there I'm going to keep sending them off."

Now Judge Murphree knows and this newspaper knows that there are many good people in Shelby County. It is no reflection on them to say that their county is the "bootleg capital" of Alabama. For most people in Shelby County deplore the bootlegging evil.

The good people of Shelby who honestly believe in the principles of prohibition, however, must find it difficult to maintain their attitude. Prohibition has never been a fact in Shelby. It merely has been an election-day hope for the men and women who have gone to the polls to vote dry.

There must be a demand for liquor in Shelby or bootlegging would not flourish there. (In the old days a large part of the illicit liquor found its way to Birmingham, but the record seems to prove that importations of wildcat whisky into legally wet Jefferson nowadays are very small, indeed.)

Why does Shelby County vote dry and still retain the reputation as one of the most active bootlegging counties in the state? This is a question the good people of Shelby should ask themselves. — Birmingham News.

## MR. THOMAS LOVELADY

Mr. Thomas Lovelady, age 63, died suddenly Monday afternoon while at work on his farm. Mr. Lovelady had for several months been in comparatively poor health. Most of his life had been spent in and around Dogwood where he was born and reared. He was a member of the Dogwood Baptist Church.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Mollie Lovelady; six daughters, Mrs. Ruby Wooten of Calera; Mrs. Alma Oglesby of Dogwood; Mrs. Marjorie Vernon, Mrs. Eva Oglesby, and Miss Dorothy Lovelady, all of Dogwood; and Mrs. Dovie Green of Birmingham.

The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon, October 16, at Ryans Cemetery.

## COTTON GINNING REPORT

Census report shows that 890 bales of cotton were ginned in Shelby County from the crop of 1940 prior to October 1, as compared with 1,601 bales for the crop of 1939, according to Gordon Mooney, special agent of the Bureau of the Census, Department of Commerce.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Russell had as their Sunday guest Miss Loretta Dyer, a student of Alabama College. Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Frost of Auburn were the week end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Frost.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Crisswell had as their supper guests last Thursday evening Rev. and Mrs. Frank Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Shaw of Birmingham.

Mr. Jimmy Wyatt, a student at Auburn, spent the week end with his family. Jimmy and Miss Theda Wyatt attended the Auburn-Mississippi State game in Birmingham Saturday.

Peach tree borers may be controlled by using paradichlorobenzene on trees four years old or older or ethylene dichloride on both young and old trees, announces W. A. Ruffin, extension entomologist.

## HE NEEDS THEM BOTH



## The Man On the Corner

—Some of the things he saw and some he saw not.

### Registration Day

Wednesday, October 16, will be long remembered as the day when our young men signed up for national defense. It brings back to mind the day in 1917 when we marshalled the country's man power for World War I. At that time we did not think of doing it again in the span of a life time. What do you suppose will happen in another 25 years? Anyway, whatever it is, many of us will not be here to worry over it.

### Community Fair

Ye are much enthused over the Community Fair that is planned at the high school for November 1 and 2. Together, with and as a part of Montevallo's "Let's Get Better Acquainted Celebration," we should have in the fair an event that will do much lasting good. It is hoped that everybody will fall in with exhibits that will make a good show of what our people are producing locally on our farms. The high school faculty is taking on a lot of work to put the fair over, but it will be worth their trouble.

### In a Fine Spirit

Impressive in the manner in which Montevallo people have proven their faith in the Community Chest. The solicitors who have gathered in the subscriptions report that it is a pleasure to contact the subscribers and find such a pleasant attitude. Well, it proves again that folks feel good in the discharge of a duty which they regard as their part of a worthwhile program. Mr. L. W. Wooten has given a fine demonstration of his ability to organize and carry out the subscription campaign. He is pointed in his acclaim of the good work of his solicitors and the very fine response of everybody.

## CALERA P. T. A. TO SHOW SLIDES ON FLOWERS, SHRUBS

In an effort to promote interest in native flowers and shrubs, wild-life and conservation, the Calera P. T. A. invites you to see moving pictures and slides on these subjects at the school auditorium Thursday night, October 24, beginning at 7:30. There will be no admission charge. —Mrs. A. B. Baxley, President.

## BAPTIST CHURCH

"The Andrew Club" will be the subject of the Sunday morning sermon. At the Sunday evening service the pastor will speak on "Men Whom Jesus Trusts." The Sunday School hour is 9:45 a.m. The Baptist Training Union meets at 6:45 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Klotzman and children, Melvin and Betty, spent Saturday in Birmingham.

## Civilian Flying Program To Start Soon At Clanton

All young men and women between the ages of 19 and 26 inclusive who desire to learn to fly under the Civilian Pilot Training Program should register at once. Tentative requirements are: Above mentioned age limits, ability to pass a physical examination equal to commercial pilot's requirements, citizen of the United States, read, write and understand the English language and pass competitive examination from ground school course which gives 72 hours instruction. Those passing above requirements will be awarded flight scholarships consisting of a minimum of 8 hours dual flight instruction and 35 hours of solo flying. At end of flight training, examination will be given for private pilot's license.

Total cost to students will be a minimum of \$15.00 and a maximum of \$25.00, which covers physical examinations, insurance, and miscellaneous items. The total cost of the flight training will be paid by the government. All students completing the course will be fully qualified and capable of piloting aircraft of 1-S rating anywhere in the United States. All training will be under strict government supervision by CAA inspectors; the civilian training program having established an unprecedented safety record for training of pilots.

Ground school will be held at a convenient location in Clanton at night. Flight training will be given students at hours most convenient for them for minimum loss of time from jobs, at Gragg Field, Clanton.

Contact Dr. V. J. Gragg or Chas. Wade at Gragg Field, Clanton, for registration.

This program will start on or about November 1.

## PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The second sermon of the series, "Some Essential Christian Convictions," for Sunday will be "The Christian Conviction About Christ." The P. S. A. will meet at 7:00 p.m.

Miss Hazel Morrow, of Birmingham, visited friends at Alabama College last Sunday.

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## Girl Scout Week Will Emphasize Citizenship

The celebration of Girl Scout Week, scheduled for October 27 through November 2, brings to a climax an unusually busy and exciting autumn season for over half a million seven-to-eighteen-year-old girls throughout the United States. The organization of local service bureaus as part of the national program of coordination has stimulated Girl Scouts to increased participation not only in this specific community service project, but also in all Girl Scout activities which can be turned to good account in behalf of community and national welfare.

The girls have found that cooking, crafts, training in cooperation, knowledge of the out-of-doors, initiative and ability in entertaining children, understanding of the customs and traits of other nationalities represented in their towns and cities stand them in good stead in their volunteer work which is routed to them through the service bureaus. Reports from Girl Scout centers in every state show that service bureau work is well under way for the Red Cross, hospitals, neighborhood houses, play grounds, libraries, relief agencies and welfare groups.

Girl Scout Week, divided into seven service days, each of which illustrates a phase of the Girl Scout program of activities, provides a special opportunity this year to mark their value and timeliness. Citizenship Day, which is traditionally devoted to dramatization of any community service project under way becomes this year the focal point of the week's celebration, to which the other special service days are directed and related.

Juliette Low, who founded Girl Scouting in this country and whose birthday on October 31 is observed by the nation-wide celebration of Girl Scout Week, envisioned the movement as an opportunity for girls to develop the skills, resources and tastes which would make them well-rounded, useful, intelligent citizens. The culmination of activities and the focusing of them upon citizenship and community service in these times is a special tribute this year to Mrs. Low's foresight and understanding.

### "God Bless America"

Every Girl Scout and leader probably knows by this time that the royalties from Irving Berlin's song, "God Bless America," are being divided between the Boy Scout and Girl Scout organizations. When Mr. Berlin decided to contribute the proceeds from the song to a patriotic purpose he established the "God Bless America" Fund, to be administered by Bayard Swope, Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, and Gene Tunney, who were asked to choose the beneficiaries. In announcing the selection of the Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts, Mr. Swope said that they were the most representative groups the trustees could find of "non-sectarian, non-partisan, non-political, non-hyphe-nated Americanism."

### Troop 2 Meeting

The Girl Scouts of Troop 2 met at the Scout House Wednesday afternoon. The meeting consisted mostly of making a freezer of ice cream and eating it. The girls plan to work on merit badges next week.

Mrs. Stabler, captain, and the following girls were present: Peggy Davis, Mary Jean Kennerly, Frances Nybeck, Sara Henry Reynolds, Tootsie Clayton, Sarah Barr, Virginia Barnes, and Dama Wills.

### VEGETABLES MAY BE PLANTED IN OCTOBER

Several vegetables may be planted in October. Some of them are: Early Egyptian and Detroit red beets, Copenhagen market and flat Dutch cabbage, Chantenay carrots, Siberian kale, New York and imperial 847 lettuce, prizetaker and shallot onions, Thomas Laxton and telephone English peas, icicle and scarlet turnip radishes, Bloofsdale spinach and mixed turnips.

Dr. M. L. Orr is in Atlanta this week.

## 1940 Call for Red Cross Recruits



The 1940 Poster of The American Red Cross sounds the call to the nation to serve humanity within the ranks of this army of mercy.

**K**EEPING step with the boys called to the colors in America's new defense army and navy, will be the American Red Cross, fulfilling its mission of service to the men in the line and to their loved ones at home, Chairman Norman H. Davis announced in Washington.

"Several thousand Red Cross nurses already have been called to the colors," Mr. Davis said, "and Red Cross field directors, and thousands of Red Cross workers in Chapters throughout the nation, are ready to help America's soldiers and sailors with personal problems, just as in the 1917-18 World War period."

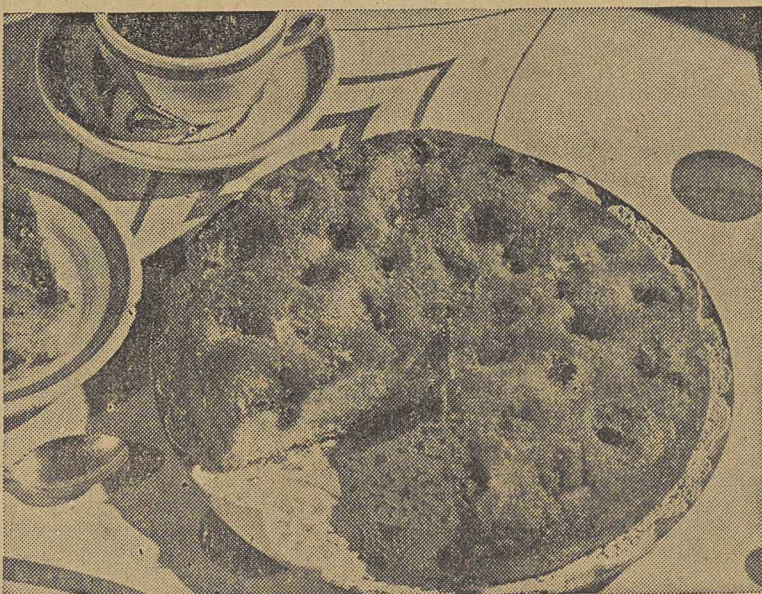
"Every patriotic man and woman in the United States, who wants to do his or her share in upholding the national defense of our nation, can

do so by sharing in the vitally important work of the Red Cross. Join as a member of the local Chapter, during the roll call, November 11 to 30, and through your support you will strengthen the Red Cross army of mercy."

"Recruits are needed not alone as members, but also as volunteer workers in the Red Cross Chapters."

Red Cross work will continue undiminished in its usual domestic program of relief in disaster; community public health nursing; safety education and promotion of the Junior Red Cross. An individual membership supports all of this work, not only in Red Cross Chapters, but in the nation. Relief to war victims in Europe is financed by the \$20,000,000 war relief fund contributed by the public during the summer of 1940.

## Quick Coffee Cake Fills Many a Bill



**I**F IT'S company that drops in for overnight, or a case of wanting to "treat" the family, a quick coffee cake dresses up almost any breakfast.

When inspired to bake extra, but time limits you, then the new self-rising flour is a good friend. Baking powder and salt are ready-mixed into it and evenly, too, so your precious time is saved. Just mix in fat, sugar, egg and liquid, and the coffee cake is ready for the oven.

But here is the exact recipe: **Quick Coffee Cake.**

Cut or rub 2 tablespoons fat into

2 cups self-rising flour. Beat 1 egg with 3 tablespoons sugar, and add to  $\frac{3}{4}$  cup milk. Add liquid to flour mixture, and spread batter in greased pan (layer should be  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch thick). Cover with top mixture and bake in hot oven (400 degrees F.) about 15 minutes.

### Top Mixture for Coffee Cake.

Rub 4 tablespoons butter into 1 tablespoon self-rising flour,  $\frac{1}{2}$  cup sugar (confectioner's or granulated), and 1 teaspoon cinnamon. Press 2 dozen raisins into batter at regular intervals, and sprinkle sugar mixture over top.

## DO YOU KNOW NEW MEAT COOKING TERMS?

Modern scientific cooks know their words. They keep up with the fast-growing list of special terms used in cookery and know the distinction between "panbroiling," "sauteing," "frying," and "braising."

"Panbroiling" is one way to cook meat in a skillet on top of the stove. But Mildred Simon, extension nutritionist, explains that the special point about panbroiling is cooking without added fat, without water, and without a cover on the skillet. It is the method to use for tender chops and steaks that have fat of their own and are quickly cooked. Pour off the fat as it renders out, so the meat will not be frying.

"Frying" is a different cooking process. It means actually to cook in fat. Sometimes the fat is, deep enough to cover the food entirely, as in frying chicken or croquettes. But you can also fry with shallow fat in a skillet. Hash and meat patties are good examples of shallow-fat frying; and some meats, such as sausages and bacon, fry in their own fat.

"Sauteing" is another puzzler, all the more confusing because it comes from a French word meaning to jump. Sauteing is a cross between panbroiling and frying. It means to brown the food in a little fat and turn it often to keep it from sticking.

The word "braising" comes up again and again in meat cookery. To braise means to brown in a little hot fat, and then cook the meat in steam—with or without added

liquid. Swiss steak and pot roast are good examples. These cuts are not so tender to start with, but, properly braised, can be cut with a fork when cooked.

Mr. and Mrs. Yeager Horn and Howell of Columbiana and Miss Celia Killingsworth of Alabama College spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Reid.

Mrs. Ashley Collins has returned to Birmingham after spending ten days with Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Jeter. Mrs. L. C. Horn is spending this week in Columbiana.

Miss Nancy Gonce, a student at Florence State Teachers College, was the week end guest of her sister, Mrs. R. H. Russell.

## WANT ADS

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Post Bran Flakes 14 oz 15c

Rinso 2 25c size 40c

Tomatoes - Peas 3 for 25c

Jim Dandy Grits 2 pkg 15c

Corn Flakes 2 for 15c

Bridal Bouquet Soap 6 for 25c

Post Toasties 2 for 15c

Macaroni Spaghetti Salt 3 for 10c

Turnip Greens Spinach 3 for 23c



# A. A. U. W. Held Meeting Saturday October 6

"This nation, through sacrifice and work and unity, proposes to remain free," asserted Miss Martha Enochs, director of the southeastern central section of the American Association of University Women at the Alabama State Board meeting in Auburn Saturday, October 6.

Miss Enochs stressed the importance of service women may render in a time of world crisis by promoting an informed public opinion. She also urged support of the national defense program, at the same time warning the membership against losing its active interest in social and legislative issues, especially as they affect this region.

Dr. Rosa Lee Walston, dean of women at Alabama Polytechnic Institute, presided at the meeting in her capacity as state president. Dr. Walston opened the meeting, introducing Dr. Luther N. Duncan, president of A. P. I., as the first speaker.

Dr. Duncan welcomed the board to the Auburn campus telling them of its long history in education for women as well as men, and describing the many improvements made in the facilities offered to women both in housing and classwork.

Reports followed from the chairmen in the fields of major interest to the organization. Resolutions were made and passed to continue in the Joint Legislative Council for the furtherance of good law-making and law-enforcing; to continue building up the yearly contribution to fellowships for women; encouraging research at a time when others normally generous with their efforts and financial support, are engrossed in other problems, and to continue lending active interest to the fields of international relations, social problems, legislation, education, and the arts.

Dean Agnes Ellen Harris of the University of Alabama, chairman of national membership, outlined a plan for building up the membership by enlarging the number of nationally affiliated women in such areas as are unable to organize a local branch.

At 12:30 the board took recess in order to accept the luncheon invitation tendered them by the School of Home Economics. Fifty guests sat down at the beautifully decorated and perfectly appointed tables in Smith Hall and enjoyed an elaborate luncheon prepared by the students in home economics under the direction of Miss Dana Gatchell.

The afternoon session was devoted to reports from the following branch presidents: Mrs. J. R. Jackson, Auburn; Mrs. Frazier Banks, Birmingham; Dr. Ethel Norton, Marion; Mrs. Lester P. English, Mobile; Dr. Katherine Vickery, Montevallo; Mrs. Brevard Jones, Montgomery; Mrs. J. R. Williams, Selma; Mrs. H. C. Pannell, Tuscaloosa. In the absence of their branch presidents, Dr. Mary Renich reported for Athens, and Dr. Eula Egan for Florence.

Reports were submitted by the following: Dr. Ann Gary Pannell, Tuscaloosa, vice-president and acting secretary; Mrs. M. H. Sterne,

Birmingham, treasurer; Mrs. R. E. Tidwell, Tuscaloosa, fellowship chairman; Miss Mary Moss Wellborn, Auburn, international relations chairman; Dr. Lois Ackerley, Montevallo, chairman of economic and legal status of women; Mrs. Claire K. Grauel, Troy, chairman on survey of education for women; Mrs. Ben Thorpe, Birmingham, and Mrs. Louis Ambler, Auburn, chairmen on publicity; Miss Catherine Kennedy, Birmingham, state historian; Miss Agnes Ellen Harris, Tuscaloosa, chairman on national members; Miss Lillian Worley, Montevallo, chairman of prison project; Miss Mary Richeson, Florence, chairman of education.

A committee on courtesies and registration, consisting of Mrs. J. W. Scott, chairman, and Mesdames S. L. Toomer, J. C. Frink, and J. F. Lecroy, all of Auburn, greeted the members as they arrived. This committee reported that all but two of the 12 member branches were represented, with the record of 6 from Montevallo and 5 from Birmingham.

## 8 Amendments To Be Voted On In State Nov. 5.

Only Two Proposals Are Of State-Wide Interest; Others Deal With Local Legislation

Eight proposed amendments to the state constitution will be submitted to the voters at the November 5 general election. Little interest has been evidenced in any of the proposals, some of which apply to only a few counties. The first two amendments for refinancing bonds of the Alabama Bridge Commission and the Alabama State Bridge Corporation have state-wide application.

The proposed amendments are as follows:

Amendment No. 1, to authorize the state to issue not exceeding \$900,000 of bonds for the purpose of retiring prior to maturity the bonds of the Alabama Bridge Commission which were outstanding on July 1, 1939.

Amendment No. 2, to authorize the state to issue not exceeding \$5,000,000 of bonds for the purpose of retiring prior to maturity the bonds of the Alabama Bridge Authority and the Alabama State Bridge Corporation, Inc., outstanding on July 1, 1939.

Amendment No. 3, to authorize the legislature to regulate and alter the fees, commissions, allowances and salaries of the tax collectors, tax assessors, probate judges, circuit clerks, sheriffs, and registers of equity courts in Etowah and Cherokee Counties.

Amendment No. 4, to authorize the legislature to fix the costs and charges of courts, fees, commissions, allowances, and salaries of Morgan County officials.

Amendment No. 5, to authorize the Court of County Commissioners of Colbert County to divide the county into drainage districts for the control of malaria.

Amendment No. 6, to permit municipalities in Alabama whose annual ad valorem tax rate is otherwise

# Under the Big Top At Ringling Bros. In Birmingham

With the most sensational mixed groups of performing wild animals ever seen in America—those of Europe's foremost trainer, Alfred Court—the Ringling Bros. and Barnum and Bailey Circus will exhibit in Birmingham Thursday, October 17. Its performance is further notable by its new and fine array of other super-features from the Continent and countless innovations in presentation.

Racing with Alfred Court for peak honors in this thrilling European invasion is the new opening spectacle, "The Return of Marco Polo," fashioned and costumed in Paris by Max Yeldy, designer of the Folies Bergere productions, at a cost of over \$80,000. This is the last word in pageantry, its color tones, gorgeously fantastic garb and rich trappings are like nothing ever seen in America before.

The newly-imported horse acts for the Big Show—sixty-four marvelously trained equines—brings Europe's most famous horsemen to the world's largest big top, now a solid blue canvas, with its air conditioning perfected by a season's experimentation.

Scores of European headline troupes and stars, headed by the unparalleled Les Bretinis, Elly Ardely, Truzzi, the Akimotos, Rola-Rola, Adriana and Charlys and Tanita, Ioka, perform aloft and in the rings with such favorites as the Riding Cristianis, the three Flying Concello troupes, Hubert Castle, wizard of the tight wire; the marvelous Yacopis and the

limited by the state constitution to less than 1 per cent, to levy up to 1 per cent after the voters of such a municipality have approved the additional rate of taxes.

Amendment No. 7, to fix the salaries of the tax collector, tax assessor, probate judge, sheriff, register in chancery, and circuit clerk of Dallas County.

Amendment No. 8, empowering the legislature to fix and regulate the fees, commissions, allowances and salaries to be charged by the sheriff of Mobile County.

Davisos.

The performances begin at 2:15 and 8:15 p.m., with doors open at 1 and 7 p.m. to permit public inspection of the menagerie, including Gargantua the Great, giant gorilla, and the hundreds of blue-blooded steeds in the new horse fair tent adjoining it.

## Farm Security Administration

Now is the time of year for landlords to be thinking about who will farm their land during 1941, according to James N. Dennis, supervisor for the Farm Security Administration in Shelby County.

"There are a number of reasons why a tenant, if he has been satisfactory, should be told at this time he may continue on the farm another year, or even longer," Mr. Dennis said. "Not the least reason is that if the tenant knows he will farm the same place next year it is likely that he will plan cover crops, or make other constructive plans for next year, in time for them to be effective."

Because of the excessive cost of annual moving to both tenants and landlords, Supervisor Dennis said, many land owners in Shelby County are giving borrowers of the Farm Security Administration leases of from three to five years.

A check of the 126 families in the county on the FSA reveals that 44 of them have leases of from three

to five years or written leases with renewal clauses. These leases are helping the tenants save as much as \$50.00 a year each in moving costs and are providing for more stable type of land-use which benefits the landlord as well as the tenant.

"Owners ought to be interested enough to see that fertility is conserved and that land doesn't erode," said Mr. Dennis. "Surveys have shown," he continued, "that owners who give long-term leases have their farms in better shape and that the improvements are in good condition. We have learned that if a family knows in August or September that they will be on a farm the next year or two, they will immediately take an interest in improving the house and barn and use better farming methods."

"All FSA borrowers use approved farming methods under the guidance of the county supervisor. Tenants who move each year usually mine the soil and leave it poorer than before. A short term lease doesn't encourage a tenant to build up land from which he received sharply limited profit."

Supervisor Dennis said that he will be glad to explain the FSA's flexible farm lease to owners who are interested. In addition to suggesting early fall action on leasing matters, he urged families who are eligible for rehabilitation loans to make their applications now so that work of making farm and home plans and other details may be worked out in time to begin farming early.

## VOTE FOR L. C. WALKER Democratic Nominee For PROBATE JUDGE

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PURE PORK Sausage lb 15c

VEAL Chuck Roast 15c

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## The Personnel Of The Montevallo Business & Professional Women's Club

The personnel of the Montevallo Business and Professional Women's Club has just been compiled and will appear in the year book as follows:

Mrs. Zoe Black, assistant professor of biology, Alabama College.

Mrs. J. A. Brown, bookkeeper for Montevallo Ice Co.

Miss Lelah Brownfield, professor of secretarial science, Alabama College.

Miss Mary Decker, associate professor of physical science, Alabama College.

Miss Anne Eastman, assistant professor of history, Alabama College.

Miss Josephine Eddy, associate professor of home economics, Alabama College.

Mrs. G. T. Elliott, owner of Elliott Mercantile Co.

Mrs. L. D. Elliott, cashier for Alabama Power Co.

Miss Margaret Evans, secretary for Merchants and Planters Bank.

Miss Virginia Evans, secretary for Alabama College.

Dr. Hallie Farmer, professor of history, Alabama College.

Miss Rochelle Rodd Gachet, vocational expert, Alabama College.

Mrs. Billie Ruth Harrison, assistant in the Little Shop.

Mrs. R. B. Hicks, owner of Hicks Variety Store.

Mrs. Lena N. Jeter, secretary for Alabama College.

Mrs. Ellis Hiffman, owner of Hoffman's 5c to 55 Store.

Miss Joyce Kellogg, instructor in English, Alabama College.

Miss Elizabeth Keys, secretary for Montevallo Coal Mining Co.

Miss Betty LeBaron, cashier for Alabama Power Co.

Miss Celia Methvin, secretary for Alabama College.

Miss Birdie Margaret Moorner, librarian, Alabama College.

Miss Ethel Reasoner, owner of The Little Shop.

Mrs. E. G. Smitherman, agent of Southern Railway Co.

Dr. Minnie L. Steckel, professor of psychology and student counselor, Alabama College.

Miss Ollie Tillman, nurse, college infirmary.

Miss Lowery Turner, secretary for Alabama College.

Miss Minnie Tracey, assistant professor of secretarial science, Alabama College.

bama College.

Mrs. S. M. Mahan, owner of Mahan Beauty Shop.

Mrs. P. E. Woolley, owner of Montevallo Cafe.

Mrs. Alice Yeager, owner of Yeager Studio.

It is rather interesting to note that the above shows 16 persons connected with Alabama College in some capacity and 14 members in business in Montevallo.

## Registered Men Will Get Blood Tests

All men who registered for the selective service on October 16 will be given a blood test.

Syphilis attacks one person in every ten before they reach middle age and often causes irreparable damage before pronounced symptoms develop. Its presence can be determined, in many instances, only by a blood test.

Members of the Health Department will be at the places listed below, at the time given, to make these tests. Time at each place is limited, therefore, registrants should come in to the place nearest them promptly at the time specified.

Helena (Mayor's office), Monday, October 21, 9 to 11 a.m.

Montevallo (branch health office), Monday, October 21, 2 to 4 p.m.

Calera (City Hall), Tuesday, October 22, 9 to 11 a.m.

Alabaster (Walker's Store), Tuesday, October 22, 2 to 4 p.m.

Wilsonville (Community Hall), Wednesday, October 23, 9 to 11 a.m.

Vincent (branch health office), Wednesday, October 23, 2 to 4 p.m.

Sterrett (Casper's Store), Thursday, October 24, 9 to 11 a.m.

Columbiana (health office), Thursday, October 24, 2 to 4 p.m.

Chelsea (school house), Friday, October 25, 9 to 11 a.m.

Shelby (old school house), Friday, October 25, 2 to 4 p.m.

Columbiana (health office), Saturday, October 26, 9 to 11 a.m.—Dr. E. F. Sloan, County Health Officer.



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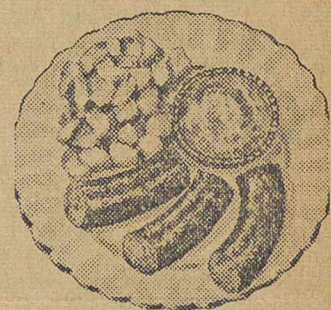
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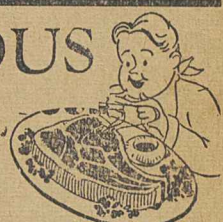
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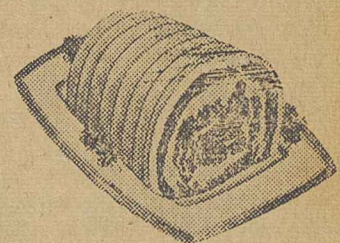
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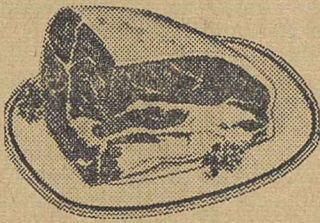
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# APPOINTMENTS OF TAX COLLECTOR AND ASSESSOR

We will visit the following precincts at the times and places indicated below for the purpose of assessing taxes for the year 1941, and collecting taxes for the year 1940:

Monday, October 21—Pelham, 9 to 10:30; Bamford, 11 to 12:30; Siluria, 1:30.

Tuesday, October 22—Chelsea, 9 to 11:30; Cold Springs, 11 to 12; New Hope, 12:30.

Wednesday, October 23—Saginaw, 9 to 10:30; Ebenezer, 11 to 12; Wilton, 1.

Thursday, October 24—Sterrett, 9 to 11:30; Vandiver, 11:45 to 1:45; Dunnivant, 2.

Friday, October 25—Westover, 9 to 10:30; Wallis' Store, 11 to 12; Harpersville, 1.

Monday, October 28—Maylene, 9 to 10:30; Dogwood, 11 to 12:30; Boothton, 1:30.

Tuesday, October 29—Vincent, 9 to 1; Calcis, 1:30.

Wednesday, October 30—Calera, 9.

Thursday, October 31—Helena, 9.

Friday, November 1—Montevallo, 9.

Monday, November 4—Wilsonville, 9 to 12—L. C. Abbott, Tax Collector; Luther Fowler, Tax Assessor.

# P. T. A. Program Topic Is Recreation

The P. T. A. met Tuesday night at 7:30 in the Elementary School building.

The president, Mrs. F. H. Frost, opened the meeting with the Lord's Prayer. After a short business session the meeting was turned over to Misses Anne Walker and Jeanetta Thomas, who were in charge of the program. A very interesting program on the amusements of school age children and adults was presented with Miss Eleanor Reynolds representing the children and Mrs. J. S. Ward representing the parents. Plans were laid for the improvement of both elementary and high school grounds. The organization decided they would rather be able to proudly say, "That's the play ground for our children," than just to say "That's the school grounds."

Mrs. O. B. Cooper stressed the subscription of the Parent-Teachers Magazine.

The Community Fair that is to be held at the high school November 2 was discussed. An invitation is extended any person who wishes to contribute any article to this event. Blue ribbons will be given for the first three prizes.

# Freshman Play

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is supplied to her by an ex-high school classmate, Dorothy Jean Roddy, who plays the role of Kate Boyd. The ingenue has been supplied by Decatur in the person of Betty Foster Pointer who plays Ruby, Kate's daughter. Ruby's sister, Hazel, a bright, excitable little girl, is played by Jeanne Anderson of Clayton, Alabama. Louisiana has sent two of the actors in men's roles, Sarah Marlette as Milton D'Arcy, the successful young business man, and Marjorie Yeutter as Phil Lennox, the Boyd's handy man.

From Montgomery comes the next debutante, Ann Boyd, who plays Aunt Meta Trimble, but not for the first time, as she acted the same role last spring in the senior class play at Sidney Lanier High School. Ann's greatest trouble, she says, is trying not to play it the same way as before, but with a new approach.

Laura Watson as the Old Princess, Dorothy Dunn as Joe Boyd, Kate's husband, and Eloise Shores, Nell Hodges, Elizabeth Dubberly, Frances Waters, Carolyn Hancock, and Marie Holliman as neighbors and servants round out our cast of debutantes. A sixteenth member, Phyllis Korth, is a second semester freshman and was seen last year in the production of "Dr. Knock."

What our neophytes have been able to accomplish will be revealed on October 23, when the curtain rises on "Once There Was a Princess," the story of a blitzkrieg that ended far differently from the way it began.

# Montevallo Loses To Centreville

The Montevallo Bulldogs were defeated Friday night, October 11, by a strong Centreville eleven, 32 to 7.

Bibb County scored twice in the first half as Montevallo was held scoreless. During the second half Montevallo pushed across the only touchdown scored against Centreville this year. Cecil Dennis shot a bullet-like pass to C. P. Harrel, who gathered it in and lumbered across the goal line. Harrel was also a standout on defense. Bibb County scored three times in this half, showing a pack of power.

The recently organized Pep Band of Montevallo High School, with the cooperation of Mr. W. F. Tidwell and Mr. York Kildea, attended the game. Some of the marches they played were Military Escort, Seventh Regiment, Eastern Star and Forward. The pep and spirit which they contributed was appreciated by everyone.

Montevallo will journey to Vincent Friday, October 18. The starting whistle will blow at 1 o'clock.

# CIRCLE NO. 1 MEETS WITH MRS. APPLETON

Circle No. 1 of the Women's Society for Christian Service held its first meeting of the fall Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. L. Appleton, with Mrs. L. C. Parnell as co-hostess.

Mrs. Parnell, circle leader, called the meeting to order and presided during the brief business session. Several plans for the work of the circle during the remainder of this calendar year were discussed. Mrs. J. B. Higgins had charge of the program, assisted by Mrs. H. K. Barr and Mrs. J. H. Henning.

The program subject was "Sharing Possessions." Through the development of the program, more definite information was given regarding the nature and location of Christian centers throughout the world, the heritage we have received, and the responsibility which rests upon each of us in continuing our efforts and building upon the accomplishments of the past.

Following the program, delightful refreshments were served by the hostesses and a pleasant social period was enjoyed by the thirteen members present.

# LOCALS

Miss Minnie Dunn spent the week end in Daviston.

Miss Celia Methvin. Mr. Kenneth Cunningham has returned to his home from a Birmingham hospital where he has been for several weeks with a broken leg. We hope to see him out again soon.

Mrs. R. A. Reid, Mrs. J. I. Reid and Mrs. M. P. Jeter shopped in Birmingham Tuesday.

Mrs. Hightower of Roanoke visited her daughter, Miss Celia Methvin, during the week end.

Miss Annie Mary Jones-Williams of Birmingham spent the week end with her father, Mr. W. M. Jones-Williams.

Mr. Robert Edward Lyman spent the week end in Tuscaloosa with his father, Mr. Fee Lyman.

Mrs. Gene Vickery has returned to her home in New Orleans after a visit with Miss Katherine Vickery.

Miss Mary Ling Hayley spent the week end at her home in Mobile.

Miss Louise Watson of Montgomery spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. A. H. Watson.

Mr. John Reid a student at Auburn, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Reid.

Mrs. J. E. Holder shopped in Birmingham Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Roy B. Hicks made a business trip to Selma Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gilbert and daughter of Birmingham were the guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Crisswell.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Roberts and Mrs. A. J. Wells of Piper visited their grandmother and mother, Mrs. P. M. Fancher, Thursday.

Miss Sallie Hooker visited her mother, Mr. W. F. Hooker, in Trussville Sunday.

# Community Fair

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broidered or appliqued luncheon sets, quilts, school dresses, knitted dresses, knitted sweaters, baby or child dresses or suits, hand towels.

# Flowers

There will be competition to show the prettiest fern, the prettiest blooming pot plant, the most artistic bouquet of wild flowers, the most artistic arrangement of autumn leaves, the prettiest bouquet of assorted garden flowers. One may think of many other things in this group that will make an interesting exhibit.

# Ribbons Given

Ribbons will be given on all first, second, and third place winners in the above groups of exhibits of food, farm products, home equipment, miscellaneous, clothing and needle work, and flowers.

# 4-H Club Calf Show

The following cash prizes will be given in the 4-H Calf Club Show: Junior calves, first prize \$5, second prize \$3, third prize \$2; senior calves, first prize \$5, second prize \$3, third prize \$2.

Junior yearling heifers, first prize \$5, second prize \$3, third prize \$2; senior yearling heifers, first prize \$5, second prize \$3, third prize \$2.

# Free to Everybody

There will be no charge to anybody to see the fair. It is free and you are welcome. Although the exhibits may not be fully placed and ready Friday night, November 1, it will be open then, and you may come if you wish. There will be something to amuse you and make you enjoy yourself—perhaps music by the High School Band.

Everybody should come Saturday and spend the whole day. Not alone to take in the fair, but the other things of interest in town. There will be lots of games and stunts of different kinds. If you have to go home late in the evening to milk the cows and slop the pigs, hurry right back Saturday night for the grand finale. There will be a band concert, other music, and maybe a dance. You know a lot of feet just won't stay still when the music starts to playing.

Montevallo will be your town all the way from the high school to the depot. You are expected to enjoy it. You are invited to come and make yourself at home and let's get better acquainted.

Folks, we are going to have a time down here that week. If you don't come and get your part of the fun, don't blame us. We are telling you now so you can have time to make all the necessary arrangements.

# 463 REGISTER FOR MILITARY SERVICE

Results of the registration for military service under the conscription law in this locality, held yesterday, are announced as follows:

Montevallo \_\_\_\_\_ 353  
Wilton \_\_\_\_\_ 75  
Newala \_\_\_\_\_ 35

The following persons volunteered their services to fill out registration blanks at Montevallo:

Mrs. H. K. Barr, Mary Scott Howell, Sallie Hooker, Vedic R. Wyatt, G. T. Towery, Sally Marshall, Mildred Lewis, Leverne Williams, Louise Morrisette, Mrs. S. M. Mahan, Helen Foster Harris, Elizabeth Burson, Lucille Scott, Mary Martha Allen, Willie Richardson, T. E. Watson, R. E. DeSear, Carl Brill, Kirk Lucas, P. T. Martin, R. P. Holcomb, Janie H. Reynolds.

# DR. AND MRS. CROWE ON AUTO TRIP SOUTH

Dr. and Mrs. Aldrich C. Crowe, 16 Gull Rd., and their two children, Susan and Clem, left Ocean City Wednesday on an extended automobile trip that will include the Great Smoky Mountains in Tennessee.

They plan to spend considerable time in Dr. Crowe's native town, Montevallo, Ala., where they will be guests of his mother, Mrs. F. F. Crowe, who has frequently visited them here.

They will be away about a month. —Ocean City (N. J.) Sentinel-Ledger.

Mrs. Crowe expects her son and his family to arrive today. Their many friends in Montevallo will be glad to see them.

# Gordon Is Named County Democratic Finance Chairman

Harris M. Gordon, young attorney of Columbiana, who has been appointed chairman of the finance committee of the Democratic Party for Shelby County, requests all members of the party to make their contributions to the party campaign fund before October 31. The local committee is reporting to Matt A. Boykin, state finance director, on Friday of each week.

Everyone who contributes to the fund will be given an official receipt, and the stub of that receipt will be sent to the national headquarters of the party to be kept on record. Mr. Gordon urged that everyone wishing to contribute should send their contributions directly to him at Columbiana, and he would send the official receipt by return mail.

The quota for Shelby County has been set at \$300.00, but Mr. Gordon expressed his confidence that in spite of a bad crop year, he felt that loyal members of the Democratic Party would fulfill the expectations of National Chairman Edward J. Flynn.

# CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend sincere thanks and appreciation for the many acts of kindness, expressions of sympathy and beautiful floral offerings from our friends and neighbors during our recent bereavement in the illness and death of our wife and mother, Mrs. Edna Cahoon. We especially want to thank the choir for the lovely music and Dr. F. B. Pearson for his consoling words. — J. W. Cahoon and Family.

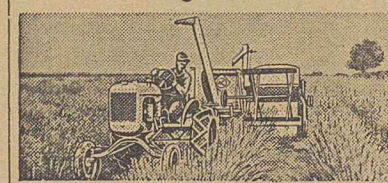
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# Scouts Conclude Fund Campaign

The campaign for Boy Scout funds in Montevallo has been conducted this week to be concluded Wednesday. No final report is yet available, but indications are that the subscription of our citizens will be generous.

Under the Boy Scout constitution, all money raised by this canvass will be spent by the Black Warrior Council.

Since a debt was owed on the cabin, it has been necessary in the past to raise money to apply on this debt. Consequently, all money allocated by the Community Chest could not be turned over to the Black Warrior Council.

The Council has protested for several years the raising of funds in the name of Boy Scouts and spending such funds locally. The capital debt of \$150 on the cabin has been assumed by the Black Warrior Council in order to clear away this difficulty and place Scout financing in Montevallo on a constitutional basis.

How does the Black Warrior Council spend the money raised for Boy Scouts in the Council area?

The money is used for the formation of new Scout troops and the development of troops already organized. About two-thirds of the money is spent for salaries and expenses of trained Scout officials who work all over the Council area. The remaining funds are spent for literature, office supplies, council camp, etc.

More money than we give to Scouting is put back into this area. If the budget of \$16,000 is raised this year in the Council, a trained Scout worker will be engaged in Shelby and Bibb Counties.

# BAPTIST CIRCLE 2 MEETS WITH MRS. A. W. DAY

Circle No. 2 of the Baptist Missionary Society, with Mrs. R. A. Reid, leader, met with Mrs. A. W. Day Monday afternoon.

Miss Mae Woods gave the devotional which was so beautiful the remainder of the program was omitted except for a short business session.

The circle was glad to welcome two new members, Mrs. Hardin and Mrs. Nelson. Mrs. Day served delicious punch and cookies to Mrs. M. P. Jeter, Mrs. H. C. Langston, Mrs. A. J. Wood, Mrs. W. L. Brown, Mrs. Della Mulkey, Mrs. N. R. Phillips, Mrs. J. I. Riddle, Mrs. Nelson, Mrs. Hardin, Mrs. R. A. Reid, Miss Mae Woods, and a visitor, Mrs. Ashley Collins of Birmingham.

# LOCAL DRAFT BOARD MEMBERS APPOINTED

Members of the two draft boards for Shelby County recently recommended by the Governor of Alabama are as follows:

Board No. 1 — J. F. Thompson, Columbiana; T. M. Reinhart, Wilsonville; Frank Wyatt, Harpersville.

Board No. 2—Frank Frost, Underwood; L. E. Shaw, Montevallo; P. T. Martin, Montevallo.

Upon recommendation by the Governor, these men will be appointed by President Roosevelt to administer the provisions of the conscription law to induct men into the military service of the United States.

Registration for the draft was held throughout the county yesterday, October 16.

# TWO SHELBY TEACHERS TAKE AUBURN SATURDAY CLASSES

Auburn, Oct. 16— One hundred and nine public school teachers and administrators from 19 Alabama counties are this fall attending Saturday classes at the Alabama Polytechnic Institute. Included in the number are six teachers from Columbus, Georgia.

Two of the teachers are from Shelby County: C. D. Barefoot, of Dunnivant, and Ruby Barefoot, of Dunnivant.

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## Auxiliary Holds Fifth District Meeting Here

Local Unit Plays Hostess To Eighty-Five Delegates; State Officers Attend Session

To the tune of the "Star-Spangled Banner," emphasizing the theme Americanism, the fifth district of the Alabama American Legion Auxiliary held its fall convention in Montevallo. The Montevallo unit, under the leadership of Mrs. P. D. Pendleton, president, played hostess to 83 delegates from the Bessemer, Central Park, General Gorgas, General Bare, Homewood, Fairfield, North Jefferson, and Calera units.

The morning meeting convened in the Baptist Church and was concerned with recognition of officers and delegates, as well as with business. Mrs. Pendleton's welcome to the delegates was responded to by Mrs. M. P. Jeter, chairman of the hostess committee. After the invocation by Mrs. J. E. Summerville and the singing of the national anthem, the meeting was officially opened.

### Committee Chairmen

Mrs. Gandy, district director, presided and presented the following committee chairmen: Registration, Mrs. P. D. Pendleton; credentials, Mrs. W. L. Hall; rules, Mrs. L. H. Gilley; resolutions, Mrs. Floyd Downing; publicity, Mrs. C. O. Ellis; sergeant-at-arms, Mrs. Earl Jones. The climax of this morning meeting was an address by the state president, Mrs. E. L. McBride, of Talladega. The keynote of this speech was the statement that in such times as the present a patriotic society like the Legion Auxiliary is one of the great instruments in the saving of democracy.

Mrs. Gandy then presented the boys' glee club of Montevallo High School, under the direction of Mrs. Josephine Waller. Their program included songs of the sea, a Negro spiritual, three fun songs, and concluded with "I Am An American." During this program a violin solo, "Nobody Knows the Trouble I've Seen," was rendered by Margaret Bickler; and two patriotic vocal solos by Wayne Villadsen, both of Montevallo High School.

### Luncheon

Following this musical interlude, the convention adjourned to reassemble immediately at the Methodist Church for luncheon. Climaxing the luncheon was a solo, "We Love America," by Mrs. Phillip Be-thea. It was commented that this song is the state junior theme song and was composed by Mrs. Hester Wofford, a teacher in Phillips High school, Birmingham.

After introduction of the department officers, brief informal reports by those attending the national convention in Boston were given. Introduction of Auxiliary presidents, who in turn introduced their delegates, then followed. Reports of the district committees followed: Music, Mrs. Trotter Jones; defense, Mrs. Salter; publicity, Mrs. C. O. Ellis; radio, Mrs. Upshaw; trophy and awards, Mrs. Stein. The courtesy committee then read resolutions to bestow thanks of the conference for hospitality extended.

The meeting was adjourned with the singing of "God Bless America."

### ALDRICH STUDY CLUB MEETS

The Aldrich Study Club held its first fall meeting Wednesday at the home of Mrs. E. V. Smith.

During the business session, officers for the coming year were elected. They are, president, Mrs. Tom McGaughy; vice - president, Mrs. P. N. Lee; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Wheeler Harmon; parliamentarian, Mrs. Edward Craig.

Other members present were Mesdames Ada Pruitt, D. W. Carr, W. S. Coats, L. Calfee, and Dalton Clinker.



C. S. Keller, publisher of the Abbeville Herald for the past five years and prior to that county agent of Henry County, has assumed his new duties as managing director of the Alabama Chain Stores Council. Mr. Keller will devote a large portion of his time to assisting Alabama farmers find wider and better markets for their products.

## College Places All Graduates Of 1940

Of the 1940 graduates who registered with the Alabama College Placement Bureau, all were placed with the exception of one who married after enrollment and one who decided to attend graduate school.

Mr. A. C. Anderson, director of the Placement Bureau, said that one of the features of his yearly report would be a decided increase in the number of graduates placed in non-teaching positions. While a majority of those registering are teaching in Alabama schools and those in adjoining states, a larger number this year are working with such agencies as the Farm Security Administration, the TVA, as librarians, in the state health laboratories, in civil service work, as home demonstration workers, and as recreation supervisors. He points out that there was a gain over the average for the past three years in requests for teachers. There was a heavy increase in requests for teachers of single subjects, and a decrease in the number of requests for teachers of a combination of subjects.

Subjects for which there was the keenest demand for teachers include home economics, physical education, secretarial science, music, English, science, mathematics, speech, history, art, and foreign languages in the order named. According to Mr. Anderson's yearly report, there has been a decrease of 11 per cent in the percentage of graduates qualifying for teachers' certificates. The geographical distribution of 1940 graduates shows that they are now employed in practically every Alabama county.

### MISS SARANEL CARTER AND MR. OZLEY ARE MARRIED

The Columbiana Methodist Church was the scene for the wedding of Miss Saranel Carter and Mr. Richard Ozley. The ceremony was performed before an altar bedecked with standards of white gladioli and pon-pon chrysanthemums, ferns, smilax and seven-stick candelabra. Rev. J. L. Hallmark read the service.

The nuptial music was given by R. E. Mills of Gadsden, who sang, accompanied by Miss Bess Rice.

For her wedding, the bride chose a teal blue ensemble with Indian penny accents. Her flowers were an arm bouquet of talisman roses and valley lilies. She was given in marriage by her brother, Mr. Rux Carter, of Birmingham. Her only attendant was Miss Jeannette Niven, who was dressed in black. Mr. Ozley's best man was Gray Goodwin.

## Results Of Boy Scout Campaign Are Satisfactory

Beginning on Monday, October 14, and continuing until Saturday, October 19, the drive for contributions for the Black Warrior Council, Boy Scouts of America, was one of the most successful drives ever made in Montevallo. Mr. A. C. Anderson, chairman of the drive, says the response has been enthusiastic and generous.

He says further that there is no doubt as to how this community feels about the Boy Scout program. At least 90 per cent of those who were approached made some contribution. There were a large number of small contributions and a good many larger ones. These totaled about \$220.00. The funds raised are to be used to employ additional specialists to work with Boy Scouts in this community and county.

As chairman of the drive, Mr. Anderson wishes to express his appreciation to all who have contributed and who have cooperated in making this a successful undertaking, particularly Mr. W. F. Tidwell, vice-chairman of the committee; Dr. M. L. Orr, district finance chairman; and the members of the soliciting committee. This committee was composed of the following people: J. L. Appleton, W. F. Tidwell, Mrs. Murray Fancher, Leon Hicks, Mrs. Josephine Waller, Miss Olivia Lawson, Dr. E. Reinke, T. E. Watson, Joe Klotzman, Charles Mahaffey, E. G. Mahaffey, J. T. Bagwell, W. M. Wyatt, E. P. Hood, Dr. Gordon McCloskey, R. E. Whaley, Rev. J. M. Shores, M. C. Jeter, W. J. Kennerly, Dr. W. D. Jackson, Dr. M. L. Orr, Mrs. L. C. Parnell, and Mrs. F. P. Givhan.

## Miss Goodwin And Mr. Milstead Are Wed in Columbiana

Miss Mary Tom Goodwin and Victor Milstead were united in marriage Sunday morning, October 13, at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Charlie Goodwin, of Columbiana.

The ceremony was performed before an altar of tall baskets of fall flowers and ferns. Mrs. Felton Goodwin played the nuptial music. She played "Traumerl" and "To a Wild Rose" during the ceremony and as the wedding party left the room, Mendelssohn's "Wedding March" was played.

A costume of soldier blue with du-bonnet accessories was chosen by the bride. Her flowers were a corsage of gardenias. Mrs. Goodwin wore black silk jersey. Her flowers were a corsage of roses and carnations.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Charlie Goodwin and the late Charlie Goodwin.

Mr. Milstead is a resident of Montevallo where he holds a position with Towery Motor Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Milstead are at home to their many friends in Montevallo.

### DRAFT BOARD SECURES HEADQUARTERS

According to announcement by Mr. P. T. Martin, chairman, the local draft board for Montevallo has arranged for permanent office and headquarters in the Harper Building formerly occupied by College Inn.

Mr. Martin further states that time has been extended for any who failed to register on the 16th to do so by calling at the board's office. This extension, he says, will not go beyond the date when the President makes the national lottery, which has been announced for the 29th.

## Establishment Of Conservation District Will Be Decided In Referendum On October 26



DR. J. DUNCAN SPAETH

## Dr. Duncan Spaeth Replaces Phelps On Lecture Series

Pinch-hitting for Dr. William Lyon Phelps on October 30 at Alabama College will be Dr. J. Duncan Spaeth, who replaced Dr. Phelps on the Concert and Lecture Series when it became known that Dr. Phelps would not be able to make his Southern tour until next spring. According to the new schedule, announced by Mr. J. H. Henning, chairman of the Concert and Lecture Committee, the new date for Dr. Phelps is March 7, 1941.

With a national reputation in his own right, Dr. Spaeth's colorful background makes him an appealing figure on the lecture platform. During the 30 years he was professor of English at Princeton, he was also coach of the rowing crew and a colleague of Woodrow Wilson.

In his varied career Dr. Spaeth has served as president of the University of Kansas City and at such other institutions as the University of Oregon, the University of California, the University of Colorado, and the Utah Agricultural College. A sizable portion of Dr. Spaeth's fame is accounted for by his thorough acquaintance with and brilliant interpretations of Shakespeare. Dr. Spaeth received his doctorate of philosophy at Leipzig, Germany, 48 years ago.

## Jeanne Appleton Is Severely Burned

Miss Jeanne Appleton was carried to Norwood Hospital Monday morning suffering from severe burns received when her nightgown caught fire from an open grate at her home.

Quick thinking and calmness retarded the spread of the flame. Miss Appleton, realizing her clothing was afire, fell to the floor and rolled on a rug. With the aid of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Appleton, she was able to extinguish the flame before it reached her face and head. Mr. Appleton received severe burns on both hands, and Mrs. Appleton's left hand was badly burned.

Miss Appleton is a junior at Alabama College and is managing editor of the college paper, The Alabamian. Her condition is said to be satisfactory.

### Soil Program Would Include Shelby and Several Other Counties In This Territory

Land owners will decide through a referendum on October 26 whether or not the proposed North Central Soil Conservation District is created.

If this district is created, a soil conservation program involving improvements in the cropping system, some changes in land use and proper management of pastures and woodland, as well as terracing, will be put into operation. In other words, the program aims to attack the forces of erosion from all angles. Heretofore, the control of erosion has been centered chiefly around terracing. While terracing is a fundamental erosion control measure, it is now known that terraces alone have failed to do the job. Emphasis will be placed on vegetation as a means of controlling erosion. Mechanical measures, such as terraces, meadow outlets, gully plantings, diversion ditches, etc., will be used to supplement and support vegetative cover.

One of the major causes of erosion in Alabama is the cropping system so generally practiced. Cotton, corn and other clean-tilled row crops, all of which are conducive to erosion, take up over three-fourths of our total crop land.

With so much land plowed regularly and kept free of protective vegetation in a section with high average rainfall and very erodible soils, it is no wonder erosion has taken such a heavy toll of our soil resources.

One of the important phases of the soil conservation program will be the development of cropping systems with a smaller proportion of clean-tilled crops and more protection with thick growing vegetation. One of the aims in the district will be to secure the adoption of a cropping system that will provide all crop land with a cover of thick growing crops at least half of the time.

Permanent hay crops will be advised in preference to those re-

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## Junior Music Club Holds Meeting

The Montevallo Junior Music Club met with Peggy Davis as hostess. Frances Woods and Sara Cook were co-hostesses.

Ethelle Nathews, program leader, used the topic, "Music and War." Special reports were given by Evelyn Ward, Sylvia Appleton, Frances Nybeck, and Mayo Baker. A game on musical terms and names of songs was conducted by the club sponsor, Mrs. R. A. Hendrick. The highlight of the program was the piano selections played by little Juanita Holder, the guest of the club.

Refreshments were later served to the following members: Mary Jean Kennerly, Dama Wills, Frances Woods, Sara Cook, Virginia Barnes, Mayo Baker, Jackie Woolley, Evelyn Ward, Pat Weems, Carolyn Ray, Ethelle Nathews, Frances Nybeck, Myra Frost, Sylvia Appleton, Tootsie Clayton, Edythe Carpenter, Margaret Kent, Betty June Kent, and Peggy Davis.

### STUDY CLUB TO HOLD RUMMAGE SALE

The Montevallo Study Club will sponsor a rummage sale Saturday, October 26. It will be held on the sidewalk in front of the Warrior Water Co. The proceeds from this sale is to be used for welfare, especially for medical treatment for children.



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## THANKSGIVING TO BE OBSERVED ON NOVEMBER 21

Montgomery, Ala.—Thanksgiving for Alabamians will be observed on November 21 this year, instead of on the traditional last Thursday in that month, Gov. Frank M. Dixon has announced.

Last year the Governor proclaimed the usual last Thursday as the holiday Alabama would celebrate, although President Roosevelt had "moved up" the day to the early date. Gov. Dixon, however, last year announced that Alabamians this season would celebrate the "new Thanksgiving."

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bridges and son, Oliver, spent the week end with relatives in Dallas, Ga. Mrs. Bridges' father, Mr. Moon, accompanied them home for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Appleton and family visited relatives in Collinsville over the week end.

We are sorry to report the illness of Mr. W. E. Harrison. We wish for him a very speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest O. Allen and son, Fletcher, of Birmingham, stopped by to call on friends in town enroute to visit Mr. Allen's mother in the Spring Creek community. Mr. Allen is circulation manager of the Birmingham News-Age-Herald.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex D. Fancher of Birmingham were the guests Sunday of their mother, Mrs. P. M. Fancher.

Miss Louise Watson of Montgomery spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. A. H. Watson.

The many friends of Chief C. M. Gardner will be glad to learn that he is improving. We hope to see him out again soon.

## Montevallo High Tramples Vincent Eleven 20 to 0

The Montevallo High School football team rolled over Vincent High Friday afternoon, October 18, by a score of 20 to 0.

In the second quarter Captain Louie Busby intercepted a pass deep in Vincent's territory and scampered across the goal line standing up. Hubert Bearden scored again in the third quarter on an off-tackle play and Cecil Dennis plowed through the line for the final score in the last quarter.

The Bulldogs kept the ball deep in Vincent's territory most of the game. Vincent did not threaten to score during any part of the game, but thrust back the Montevallo team three times when they were in scoring position.

Montevallo is idle this coming Friday, but will journey to Jasper to play Walker County High on Friday, November 1.

The games already played and their scores are:  
Montevallo 14, Siluria 6.  
Montevallo 0, Talladega 57.  
Montevallo 14, West Blocton 0.  
Montevallo 7, Centreville 32.  
Montevallo 20, Vincent 0.  
The remaining games to be played are: Walker County High, there, 3:00, November 1.  
Isabella, here, 1:00, November 8.  
Clanton, there, 8:00, November 15.  
Shelby County High, 1:00, here, November 27.

## BOOTHTON

Mrs. D. B. DeMent is attending the O. E. S. session in Montgomery.

The W. M. U. met Monday evening at the church and held its regular missionary meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Lovelady spent Saturday evening in Montevallo.

Mrs. Jimmie Brasfield and Mrs. Howard Stone are visiting relatives in Cedar Grove.

Mr. J. J. Beaner is recuperating

## STATE OF ALABAMA A PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama, at the Regular Session 1939, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that said election be held the day of the General Election next succeeding the final adjournment of the Legislature at which the election was ordered; and

WHEREAS, the First Tuesday after the First Monday in November, 1940, which is the 5th day of November, is the time for holding the General Election in 1940; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law, and by the provisions of the Act submitting said Amendment, to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each County in the State of Alabama once a week for four successive weeks immediately preceding the said 5th day of November:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Frank M. Dixon, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday, the 5th day of November, 1940, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama, in the manner and form provided by law; upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The Legislature of Alabama may hereafter, from time to time, by general or local laws, fix, regulate and alter the costs and charges of courts, fees, commissions, allowances and salaries to be charged or received by any county officer of Morgan County, including, without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the Judge of Probate, Tax Collector, Tax Assessor, Sheriff, Circuit Clerk, and Register, including the method and basis of compensation of such officer, and may provide for the placing of any such officer on a salary and that the fees, costs and allowances collected by such officer be paid into the County treasury. All acts of the regular or adjourned session of the Legislature of Alabama which convened in January 1939, fixing or purporting to fix the compensation of any such officer on a salary basis are hereby validated and confirmed."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday, the 5th day of November, 1940, upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901, be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 5th day of November, 1940, in each County in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said County.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed by the Secretary of State, at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery, on this the 12th day of September, 1940.

FRANK M. DIXON, Governor.

Attest: John Brandon, Secretary of State.

at his home following an operation.

Mr. M. H. Salmon, Jr., was a visitor in Boothton recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Cates and Mr. and Mrs. Buck Smithertman were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Findley.

The G. A.'s met Wednesday evening at the church to hold their program meeting.

Mr. R. E. Galloway spent the week end with his sons in Bessemer.

FOR RENT — One big house, arranged for one or two families.—Mrs. L. J. Kilpatrick.

## STATE OF ALABAMA A PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama, at the Regular Session 1939, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that said election be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1940; and

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I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday, the 5th day of November, 1940, upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901, be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 5th day of November, 1940, in each County in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said County.



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## EBENEZER NEWS

The homecoming at the Church of God was enjoyed by everyone.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Brashier spent Sunday with Mrs. Brashier.

Mrs. J. C. Rogers and Jean visited in Birmingham Saturday.

Mr. J. D. Holcombe, Jack, Billy, and Roy Holcombe made a trip to

Birmingham Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Lem Ingram and Mrs. Lucille Buford of Centreville visited Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Holcombe Sunday.

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Corn Flakes 2 for 15c

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## LOCAL NEWS OF CALERA

Rev. George Tidwell preached at the Baptist Church Sunday. The former pastor accepted a call to Anniston.

A number of Calera people attended the Ringling Brothers Circus in Birmingham last Thursday.

Miss Margie Crowson spent the week end with her parents at Shelby Springs.

Mrs. Capple Campbell returned Sunday from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Olin Earnest, in Tuscaloosa.

Frank Denson, who is employed by the State Highway Department, will be home all this week.

The Baptist W. M. U. met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Cecil Cowart.

The Legion Auxiliary met with Mrs. C. D. Cowart last Tuesday afternoon.

The fourth study of the W. S. C. S. will meet Wednesday. Mrs. H. C. Baker will be leader. The fifth study will be held on Friday afternoon with Mrs. A. F. Seale as leader.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Allen, Miss Mildred Shockley, and Mrs. C. D. Cowart spent Saturday in Birmingham.

Miss Jean Logan of Jasper, a former teacher at Calera, came down Sunday to see the Z. S. Cowarts.

Mr. Dick Ozley, who works in Cairo, Ga., was at home over the week end.

The Homemakers Club gave a shower last Friday for Mrs. Milton Davidson at the home of Mrs. J. H. Bentley.

Misses Ada and Zemma Holcombe spent the week end at home. They are in school at Alverson Business College in Birmingham.

Mrs. Frank Denson, Mrs. Z. S. Cowart, Mrs. R. L. Veazey, and Mrs. R. L. Holcombe, and Rev. and Mrs. V. F. Smith attended the North

Alabama Conference of the Women's Society for Christian Service in Birmingham last Thursday.

Don't forget to come and see the slides on conservation of wild flowers and wildlife at the school auditorium Thursday night, October 24, at 7:30.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Earnest of Tuscaloosa spent Sunday with Mrs. Frank Denson.

Mrs. Fred Allen's niece, Miss Mildred Shockley, who is in school at Boaz, spent the week end with the Allens.

Miss Frances Gooch of Sylacauga came over Friday to spend the week end with Miss Helen Long who is at home for a few days. Miss Long works in Selma.

Messers Clark and Britton Waters spent the week end in Fayetteville with their parents.

### Mr. Curry And Miss Hill Are United in Marriage

The marriage of Miss Billie Hill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee Hill of Siluria, and J. Frank Curry, took place at noon Saturday at the South Highlands Presbyterian Church. Dr. W. A. Alexander officiated.

The nuptial music was rendered by Mrs. J. A. Dunlap of Cullman, organist, and Miss Alice Cooper of Prattville.

An altar of tall standards of specimen yellow chrysanthemums, Easter lilies and white pon-pon chrysanthemums before a background of palms and southern smilax was the scene of the ceremony. Three branched cathedral candelabra were on each side of the prie dieu.

Mr. Hill gave his daughter in marriage. She wore a rich brown costume suit trimmed with a ripple collar of sable dyed squirrel. The tucked bodice was adorned with an emerald and old gold ornament. Her flowers were orchids and valley lilies.

Her only attendant was her sister, Mrs. Victor R. White, Jr., who was matron of honor. Mrs. White's dress of chianti wine was worn with a short coat embroidered in self braid and her off-the-face hat was of Indian brown. She wore a corsage of talisman roses.

Mrs. Morris Estes of Cullman, dressed in a bronzing green suit of sheer wool, lighted the candles. Her flowers were a corsage of Lestra Hibbard roses.

Mr. Thomas Allison, Jr., was best man. Ushers were Walter Frank Greenwood of Atlanta; Roy H. Norris, Jr., and Victor R. White, Jr.

The mother of the bride wore a strawberry wine crepe dress made with a cowl neck and baroque trim.

Mrs. Byrtie Lawrence Curry of Lexington, N. C., mother of the groom, wore a dress of brown crepe with matching accessories. Both wore corsages of gardenias.

After a wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Curry will be at home at the Berkshire Apartments.

Mrs. Curry is a graduate of Alabama College, where she was a popular student, and made many friends both on the campus and among the townspeople.

Mr. Curry is the son of Mrs. Byrtie Lawrence Curry of Lexington, N. C., and the late J. Frank Curry. He is a graduate of North Carolina State University, where he was a member of Alpha Gamma Rho Fraternity.

### Spring Creek News

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Killingsworth and Mrs. Nalda Hughes of Birmingham spent Sunday with Mrs. S. J. Ingram.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Allen, Mr. Cozelle Allen and Mr. Beura Castleberry of Rome, Ga., spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Ingram.

Mrs. Good, Sarah and William Good, Mr. Floyd and Mr. Albert Diggers of Birmingham spent the week end at the Good home here.

Miss Clara Lee and Miss Christine Lee of Birmingham were at home last week end with Mr. and Mrs. Roland Lee.

Mrs. J. H. Mauldin of Birmingham and Mrs. Chas. D. Parker of Dora are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Ingram.

Miss Annie Laura Ingram spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Johnson, in Goodwater.

Miss Mae Ingram of Steele spent the week end here with home folks.

Mrs. P. M. Russell spent the past two weeks here having some dental work done.

Miss Vida Roach of Montgomery, Mr. J. E. Roach and Mr. Alvin Roach are spending several days with relatives in Louisiana.

Miss Martha Jo Frost was honored with a birthday party last Wednesday, given by her mother, Mrs. Robert Frost. The members of Martha Jo's Sunday School class were guests. The Halloween spirit was carried out in decorations and contests. Then the beautiful birthday cake was cut and served with a fruit drink.

Mrs. Hackett has returned after a visit of several weeks in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Alexander visited Mrs. Lawson Ingram Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Lawson Ingram made a business trip to Columbiana Thursday.

Mrs. Max Allen and daughter, Shirley Sue, of Birmingham were Sunday visitors of Mrs. T. W. Ingram.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Nabors of North Birmingham visited in our community last Sunday.

Mr. Pete Sample spent Sunday with Charles Allen Knowles.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbie Ingram and children and Mrs. S. J. Ingram visited Mr. and Mrs. Scoggins in Shelby last Sunday.

### BAPTIST CHURCH

"How to Be Saved" will be the pastor's theme at the Sunday morning service. At the Sunday evening service he will speak on "More Than Others." Sunday School meets at 9:45 a.m., and the Baptist Training Union at 6:45 p.m.

The Missionary Society will meet at the church Monday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock. The Sunbeams will meet at 2:30 Tuesday afternoon; the G. A.'s at 6:30 Thursday evening.

The Young People's prayer ser-

vice will be held at the church at 7 o'clock Tuesday evening. They will begin next Tuesday a study of the doctrines of the church.

### PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

"Boundary Lines" will be the subject of the sermon by Mr. Davis at the Sunday morning service. A section in the church will be reserved for the Girl Scouts who will attend the service and sit in a body.

Dr. John Knox will speak at the meeting of the Presbyterian Student Association at 7 o'clock. Dr. Knox will give a book review.

## VOTE FOR L. C. WALKER

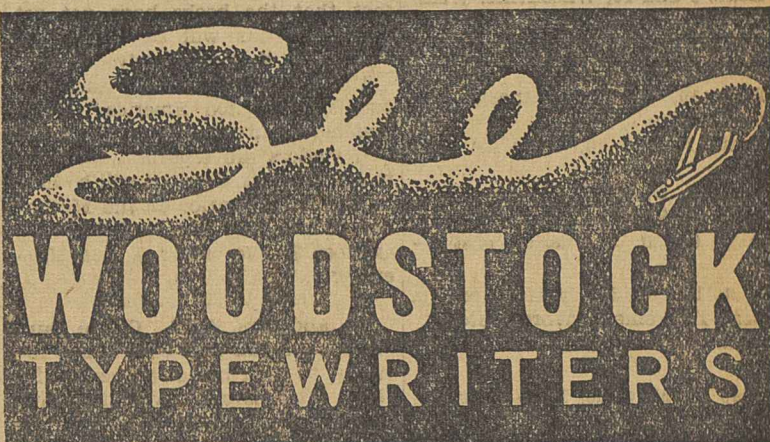
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WISCONSIN  
CHEESE lb 21c

SWANSDOWN PKG  
Cake Flour 24c



STATE SOIL CONSERVATION COMMITTEE OF ALABAMA

Notice of referendum on creation of Proposed North Central Soil Conservation District, embracing lands lying in the Counties of Bibb, Blount, Chilton, Cullman, Jefferson and Shelby, in the State of Alabama.

To all owners of lands lying within the proposed North Central Soil Conservation District, comprising the territory described as follows:

All lands lying within Bibb, Blount, Chilton, Cullman, Jefferson, and Shelby Counties, within the State of Alabama.

Notice is hereby given that on the 26 day of October, 1940, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m., a referendum will be held in the said territory upon the proposition of the creation of the North Central Soil Conservation District as a governmental subdivision and a public body, corporate and politic, under the provisions of the Soil Conservation Districts Law of this State.

All persons, firms and corporations who shall hold title to farm, forest or grazing lands lying within the said territory, are eligible to vote. Only such persons, firms and corporations are eligible to vote.

Voting divisions and polling places for the referendum are as follows for Shelby County:

- Beats 1, 2, 8 and 9, Columbiana, court house.
- Beats 9 and 10, Wilsonville, Weldon's Store.
- Beats 10, 11 and 16, Harpersville, Donahoo's Store.
- Beats 10, 15 and 16, Vincent, McGraw's Store.
- Beats 14 and 15, Vandiver, post office.
- Beat 18, Dunnavant, post office.
- Beat 11, Westover, post office.
- Beats 8 and 13, Chelsea, post office.
- Beats 12 and 13, New Hope, school.
- Beat 17, Pelham, Word's Store.
- Beats 7, 19 and 21, Siluria, Roy's Store.
- Beat 19, Maylene, Litt's Store.
- Beats 4, 7, 20 and 21, Montevallo, Legion Hut.

Beats 3, 4 and 7, Calera, City Hall.  
Beats 1 and 2, Shelby, Company Store.  
Beats 5, 6, 17 and 19, Helena, Wallace's Store.  
Eligible voters residing within the proposed district shall cast their ballots at the polling place for the division wherein they reside. Eligible voters not residing within the proposed district shall cast their ballots at the polling place for the division which includes their land, or the greater part thereof. Eligible voters who will be absent from their division on the day of the referendum may apply in person or in writing to Mr. J. F. Wyatt, Polling Superintendent, at Rt. 1, Vincent, Ala., for absentee ballots. Each applicant for an absentee ballot shall state his name, residence, location and acreage of land owned, and interest therein.

STATE SOIL CONSERVATION COMMITTEE

By P. O. Davis, Chairman  
Dated this 25 day of September, 1940.

Mission Study Classes are Being Sponsored

The fall Mission Study Class sponsored by the Society of Christian Service will begin October 28, instead of October 21, as had been planned. The delay is due to the fact that the books have not yet arrived. Books will be distributed as soon as they are received.

Mrs. J. H. McCoy will teach the course, "Uprooted America." Every member is urged to join the class and visitors are especially welcome to all meetings. Sessions will be held in the ladies' parlor of the Methodist Church at 3 p.m. on October 28, October 30, November 4, and November 6.

Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Crowe and children, Susan and Clem, have returned to their home in Ocean City, N. J. after several days visit with Dr. Crowe's mother, Mrs. F. F. Crowe.

GIRL SCOUTS

GIRL SCOUT WEEK

Sunday — Church Day. Council, Girl Scouts and leaders to attend services at the Presbyterian Church.  
Monday—Home Making Day.

Tuesday — Handicraft Day. Exhibits of camp crafts, needle work, and other skills, with actual demonstrations of craftsmanship.

Wednesday—Thrift Day.

Thursday—Hostess Day.

Friday — Citizenship Day. Any community service project.

Saturday—Health Day. Well planned hikes.

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Wednesday afternoon the Girl Scouts of Troop 2 met at the Scout House. Frances Nybeck and Virginia Barnes were elected patrol leaders. Then they drew slips of paper to select the girls to go in their patrols.

The main part of the meeting was spent in talking about a Christmas toy project. This troop has decided to start next week and fix up as many toys as they can get together. If any people in the community have toys they would like to contribute, the girls will certainly appreciate them.

The troop has two new lieutenants who are Alabama College students, Misses Marion Simpler and Barbara Ames. The Scouts are glad to have these leaders and feel sure that these girls and Mrs. Stabler will be able to do a lot of worthwhile work.

Mrs. Stabler and the following girls were present: Mary Jean Kennerly, Tootsie Clayton, Sarah Barr, Mayo Baker, Peggy Davis, Frances Nybeck, Sara Henry Reynolds, Virginia Barnes, Pat Weems, Frances Woods, and Dama Wills.

Miss Melvyn Stephens has accepted a position with the Stockham Pipe and Fitting Co. in Birmingham.

Referendum

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quiring annual preparation of the soil, such as soybeans, cowpeas, etc. The use of more small grain as a substitute for some of the corn and a greater use of perennial legume hay instead of corn fodder will be encouraged.

The practice of rotating crops, especially rotating clean-tilled crops with thick growing crops, will also be encouraged. Suitable rotations will be planned for individual farms so as to provide ample feed for the farm livestock, as well as to give maximum protection with thick growing crops. In doing this, the maximum use will be made of both winter and summer legumes, oats, etc.

Diverting the steep slopes from cultivated crops to permanent, thick growing vegetation, such as lespedeza sericea and kudzu, will also be emphasized. The badly eroded areas will be reforested with pine.

Another important phase of the program will be that of permanent pasture development. On the majority of farms, there are areas of bottom land now wooded or grown up in elders, willows, etc., which if cleared, would make excellent pasture land. Wherever possible, farmers will be encouraged to take eroded hill land out of pasture and clear up, fertilize and seed to pasture the more suitable bottom land.

Since more than two-thirds of the total area of the proposed district is woodland, farm forestry will certainly receive no little emphasis. A program of woods fire prevention, timber stand improvement and reforestation will be developed and carried to land owners, and assistance given in carrying them out.

It is now being realized that the most sensible approach to the erosion control problem is through

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Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Esslinger and children, Mary Jim and Benny, of Sylacauga, Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Stephens of Birmingham, and Miss Ruth Stephens of Dixiana were week end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Stephens.

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No. 2 each 63c

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No. 0 each 49c

No. A each 29c

10-qt galv bucket 23c

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SWANOCHEE Honey 5-lb jar 85c

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Pig Feet 6 for 24c

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First of all, you will be permitted to take your choice in the nationwide scramble for President of the United States. It may be Mr. Roosevelt for a third term or Mr. Willkie, the flashy and "cursading" challenger under the Republican emblem. If you do not relish one of these, you can go farther afield and choose between the lesser lights who are candidates of the Socialist, Communist, or Prohibition Parties.

Coming on down the list of candidates, you may have your choice between Republicans and Democrats for the county offices.

Probate Judge L. C. Walker, Democrat, is opposed by Republican A. B. Baxley, who has for a long time been Mayor of Calera.

Circuit Clerk L. Gerald Fulton, Democrat, is opposed by Roy Moore, Republican.

#### Board of Revenue

In District 1, the Democratic candidate is Hoyt Blalock and his Republican opponent is John Hughes. In District 3 the Democratic incumbent, T. R. Nash, is opposed by Republican O. E. Cox.

For two members of the Board of Education the Democrats offer Robert L. Holcombe and M. P. Jeter. Opposing them the Republicans offer R. D. Crim and Ira Sharbutt.

#### State Candidates

Of course, in between the national and county candidates the ticket will carry several candidates for state offices. Among these are two Shelby County favorites who are carrying the Democratic standard without opposition. They are Pete Jarman for Congress and Hon. W. W. Wallace for Circuit Judge.

So there you are, Mr. Voter. You can take your choice next Tuesday.

#### President To Make Radio Addresses

Between now and the general election on Tuesday, November 5, President Roosevelt will speak several times over nation-wide networks of the three major radio chains of the country. Following are the scheduled speeches, with the time and the networks which will carry them:

Saturday, November 2, from 8:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m., from Public Auditorium in Cleveland, Ohio, over the entire NBC Red Network and Columbia Network.

Monday, November 4, election eve, the Democratic National Committee has engaged the period from 9:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m., over the entire NBC Red and Blue Networks and over the Mutual Network, and the Democratic National Committee has also engaged the period from 10:00 p.m. Monday, November 4, to 11:00 p.m. over the NBC Red Network, and over the Mutual and Columbia Networks. President Roosevelt will talk some time between 10:00 p.m. and 11:00 p.m. Central Standard Time.

#### College Step Singing To Be Broadcast

At 9:30 tonight the girls at Alabama College will take part in the first step singing broadcast of the year over Radio Station WAPI. There will be a number of such broadcasts this year, according to Miss Nora Landmark, radio specialist of the college.

Several generations of Montevallo girls have been accustomed to gathering on the steps of Main Dormitory where one of their number leads an informal song-fest. Now parents, friends, and kinfolk all over Alabama will be privileged to listen in.

On Thursday, December 19, at 9:30 p.m., WAPI, Birmingham, will broadcast the second step singing program as a chorus of nearly one thousand girlish voices are raised in songs both old and new.

#### College Editors To Attend ACP Convention

Alabama College will be represented by four of its students when the Associated Collegiate Press meets in Detroit November 7-9.

Those selected are Miss Evelyne Mayhall, Elkmont, and Miss Sara Barchift, Birmingham, editor and business manager, respectively, of The Technala, the college annual; and Miss Lois Anne Smith, Tallahassee, and Miss Lucille Scott, Siluria; editor and business manager of The Alabamian, the student newspaper.

At this annual meeting the representatives from the staffs of some three hundred newspapers and year-books discuss mutual problems and listen to speeches by men outstanding in journalism and related fields.

#### EVANS-GLASSCOCK

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Evans announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Margaret Evans, to Robert James Glasscock of Baton Rouge, La. The wedding will take place in November.

#### HALLOWE'EN CARNIVAL

There will be a Hallowe'en Carnival at the Helena Junior High School Thursday night, October 31, at 8 o'clock. Come and enjoy the many features of entertainment which will be given. The carnival is sponsored by the P. T. A.

#### Miss Betty Crew, Brewer Carpenter Are Married

A wedding of interest to their many friends was that of Miss Betty Crew and Brewer Carpenter. They were married Thursday, October 17, in Columbiana.

Mrs. Carpenter is the attractive daughter of Mrs. R. H. Brown. She is a student at Montevallo High School where she plans to continue her studies.

Mr. Carpenter is a graduate of Montevallo High School. He left Thursday to attend an aviation school in Los Angeles, Cal., where Mrs. Carpenter plans to join him later.

#### Numbers Of Thirty Local Men Are Called In Draft

In the military conscription drawing announced from Washington up to midnight Tuesday the following registrants at Shelby County Draft Board No. 2 were included in the order they appear below.

(The number in front of each name is the serial number assigned the registrant by the local board.)

- 158—Hamilton Bernard Stone Boothton
- 192—T. C. Allen, Underwood
- 105—Elmon Theodore Smitherman Marvel
- 188—Otis James Campbell (Col.) Underwood
- 120—Rufus Franklin Herron Marvel
- 846—Lloyd Curtis Payne, Siluria
- 161—James Emmett Boothe Boothton
- 14—Lewis McCarter, (Col.) Siluria
- 57—Thomas Gordon Eddings Boothton
- 153—Willie Acie Bradley (Col.) Underwood
- 19—Charlie Moses Vick, Siluria
- 766—John Katon Kroell, Siluria
- 172—Clement Maxwell Hyde Marvel
- 126—John Edward McKelvey Montevallo
- 187—Lester Harper (Col.) Underwood
- 167—Abe Homer Harrell, Marvel
- 162—Will Lane (Col.), Boothton
- 147—Turner Vincent Vanderslice Montevallo, Rt. 1
- 1300—Sam Edward Tatum, Wilton
- 1355—Leslie Patton (Col.) Montevallo
- 689—Earnest Samuel Killingsworth Calera
- 1295—Sam Andrew Evans Montevallo, Rt. 1
- 1234—Morris Lee Wallace, Aldrich
- 31—Roscoe Davis, Siluria, Rt. 1
- 156—Walter Mason Shaner Boothton
- 1369—Edgar Eugene Ware, Aldrich
- 676—Byron Bernarcus Wright Underwood
- 112—Robbie Lee Littlefield Boothton
- 185—Amos Thomas Lovelady Montevallo
- 1362—Robert Lee Rodgers (Col.) Montevallo.

#### NOTICE TO LEGION MEMBERS

Commander P. T. Martin, of Hendrick-Hudson Post, Montevallo, offers Legion members a plan to get a turkey for Christmas. He is sending out a card this week saying:

"Get 3 members for the American Legion by November 11 and you get a Legion button; get 5 and you get a turkey for Christmas."

The card of the commander further says:

"Big celebration here November 11. You and your family are expected to take part. Our regular meeting is November 21 — the third Thursday night. We want to organize the Home Guard and you want to be present."

#### DRAFT BOARD PHONE No. 5471

Draft Board No. 2 of Shelby County, at Montevallo, has moved into its permanent offices in the Harper Building, formerly College Inn.

A telephone has been installed. The number is 5471.

#### High School Building Filled To Capacity With Exhibits

##### Chest Goal Reached On Last Friday

The Montevallo Community Chest drive was completed and subscriptions went over the goal line on October 25, according to announcement of Mr. L. W. Wooten, chairman of the solicitation campaign.

Expressing what is the universal pride of our people in this achievement, Mr. Wooten gave The Times the following statement this week: "There is no wonder that Montevallo is known as a good place to live. When a Community Chest drive can be completed in 15 days, that shows a very fine community spirit and tells the story much better than it could be told in any other way of the high type of citizenship that comprises this community. There was only a very few who did not do their part."

It is especially gratifying the way the busy men and women who composed the solicitation teams went about their jobs and stayed with them until the goal was reached.

"We know that everyone who had a part in this fine piece of community achievement will be happier for having done his or her part."

#### Mr. F. H. Hardy Dies In Birmingham

Mr. Fred H. Hardy, owner of the Newala Lime Works, at Newala, died Wednesday morning at a Birmingham hospital, where he had been ill for several days past.

Born in Malone, N. Y., he was the son of J. D. Hardy and Louisa King Hardy. He came to Shelby County at the age of 12 and has resided in the neighborhood of Calera ever since. For many years past the Hardy home has been at Newala close by the scene of his long and successful business operations.

As a youth Mr. Hardy attended the old Meredith School which was conducted in the building now known as Reynolds Hall on the Alabama College campus.

His first marriage was to Miss Emily Stough of Montgomery. Their children are Mrs. W. D. Thomason, of Ozark; John Hardy, of Montevallo; Mrs. James Rush, of Miami; and Fred, Jr., of Auburn.

His second marriage was to Miss Julia Poyner, of Mount Hebron, Ala. She is a teacher in Montevallo High School. Their children are James and Julian, medical students in Philadelphia; Taylor Hardy, of Montevallo.

There are two sisters, Mrs. I. S. McAdory, of Auburn; Mrs. E. M. Craig, of Greenville, S. C.; a niece, Mrs. Freddie Scott Lipscomb, of Auburn; five grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held today (Thursday) at Montevallo Presbyterian Church, at eleven o'clock. Burial will be in Salem Cemetery, Calera.

For several years Mr. Hardy has been a member and deacon of Montevallo Presbyterian Church.

Mr. John Nix of the U. S. Navy is spending a few weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Nix. John has for several months been stationed at different points in South America.

#### "We've Got So Many Things We Don't Know What To Do With them"—Tidwell

With exhibits everywhere—every corner taken—everybody enthusiastic and working hard to be ready on time, word comes from Montevallo High School that the Community Fair will be ready to show the expected visitors the best possible display of things representative of the homes, farms, mines and schools of this section.

"We've got so many things to show that we don't know what to do with them," said Principal W. F. Tidwell Wednesday, "but we will have it all in good shape by Saturday."

The fair will open at 10 o'clock Saturday and will continue through the evening.

#### Amusements

Games and other contests will be held on the athletic field of the high school at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

The square dance previously announced for the auditorium cannot be held there because of the large number of exhibits which have taken up all the space.

#### Home Room Exhibits

The following home rooms have entered exhibits: Miss Utterback, Miss Barker, Miss Kornegay, Miss Barksdale, Mr. Bagwell, Miss Beasley, Mrs. Hardy, Miss Stripling, Miss Walker, Miss Dudley.

Each of the home room exhibits features something that goes into the building of Shelby County.

#### Special Groups

The following special classes or groups have entered exhibits in the fair: The French classes, 4-H Clubs, The Spotlight, the Industrial Arts Shop, the F. H. A. Clubs, the Elementary School.

#### Outside Exhibits

The exhibits from outside the school are made by the Spring Creek Community, the Town Forum, Girl Scouts, Alabama College, Alabama Tuberculosis Association, Works Progress Administration, the AAA, the State Department of Conservation, the County Health Department, the Blind School at Talladega, Farm Security Administration.

A special lighting exhibit will be shown by Alabama Power Co.

School buses will run Saturday to transport people to and from the fair.

Classrooms of the school will be open during the day and the teachers will be there to greet the visitors.

As has been previously stated, prizes will be given for the best of various exhibits. Cash for these prizes has already been appropriated by the Montevallo Merchants Association. Exhibits not in the cash prize class will be awarded blue ribbons for the best ones.

#### MAY LYMAN WOODS IS CHOSEN FOR "WHO'S WHO"

Miss May Lyman Woods of Montevallo was chosen this week by popular vote of her fellow-students to represent Alabama College in the 1941 edition of "Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities."

The candidate's fitness is judged on the basis of character, leadership, scholarship, and potentialities of future usefulness to society.



# LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Walter McConaughy of Japan are the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. McConaughy.

The many friends of Mr. Walter M. Shaw will regret to learn that he is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Lyman of Boothton were Sunday guests of Mrs. E. S. Lyman.

Miss Margaret Cook of Attalla and Miss Frances Scarbrough of Winterboro visited friends on the campus during the past week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Burgess of Bloomfield, N. J., (nee Louise Morgan) announce the birth of a son, whom they have named John Morgan.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Harman have returned to their home in Auburn after a visit with their parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. F. Harman.

Mrs. Goff has returned to Louisiana after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. J. T. Bagwell.

Misses Frances Trueman and Martha Wood of Birmingham visited friends here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Harvey have returned home after an extended visit to their children in the North.

Miss Louise Crowe of Porter was the week end guest of her aunt, Mrs. A. L. Crowe.

Mr. "Sunshine" Chism of Clanton was a visitor in town Sunday.

Mr. Johnnie Green of Birmingham visited friends here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thompson and children, Grace Elizabeth and Paul, Jr., of Anniston, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Day.

Miss Gene Lewis of Durham, N. C., spent the week end with her parents.

Mrs. L. C. Horn is at home after a visit with relatives in Columbiana and Alpine.

Among the Auburn boys at home for the week end were Clyde Gardner, Jr., Jimmy Wyatt, Francis Killingsworth, and John Reid.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Riser and son, Olin III, of Alpine; Mr. and Mrs. Yeager Horn and son, Howell, of Columbiana; Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Killingsworth and Marvin, Jr., of Montgomery, and their daughter, Celia, of Alabama College, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Reid.

Miss Josephine May of Bessemer was the week end guest of her mother, Mrs. J. A. May.

## DISCUSSING AGRICULTURE AND NATIONAL DEFENSE

The part agriculture can play in the national defense program is being discussed in Washington this week by extension leaders from five states, including Alabama.

At the request of Chester C. Davis, agricultural representative of the National Defense Commission, P. O. Davis, director, Alabama Extension Service, joined extension directors of four other states in discussing agricultural problems and national defense.

## BAPTIST CHURCH

Miss Clarabel Isdell who recently returned from China will speak at the Sunday morning service. She will tell of conditions in China and her work there. Sunday evening at 7:30 we shall worship with the Methodist Church. Sunday School is at 9:45 a.m. The Baptist Training Union meets at 6:45 p.m.

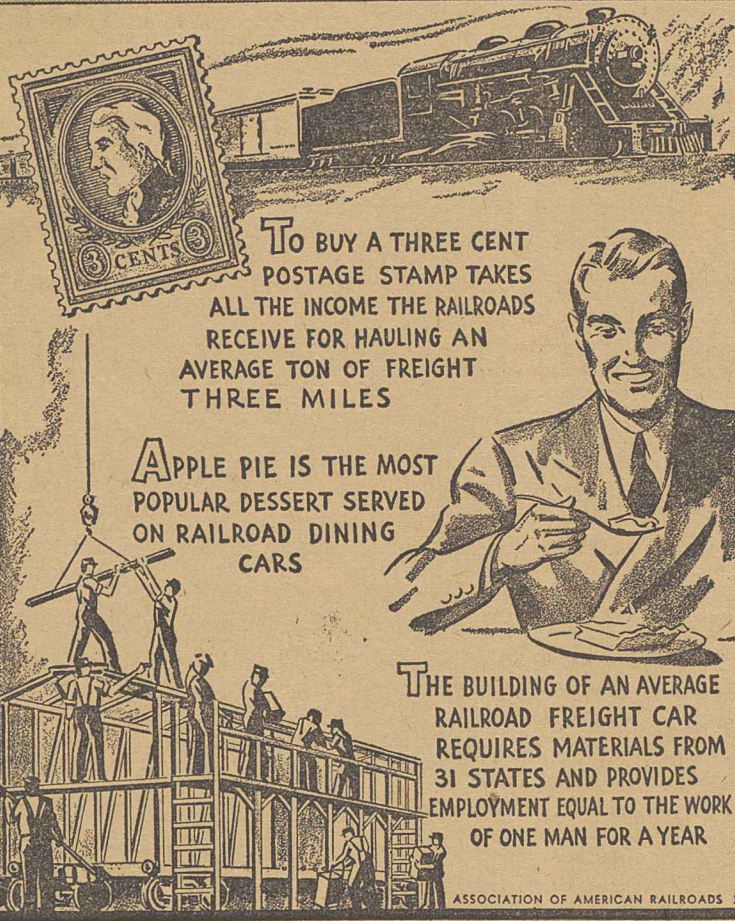
Dr. Pearson is in Evergreen conducting revival services this week. He will be there about ten days.

## WANT ADS

**FOR RENT**—Four-room apartment including bathroom, hot water connection from coal stove in the kitchen. Also will furnish electric cooking stove. This for \$25 a month or I will exchange rent for meals, heat, and lights.—Mrs. F. F. Crowe. 10-31-2tpd

**FOR RENT**—One six-room bungalow arranged for two families. Rent \$20.—W. A. Harvey.

# Rail oddities



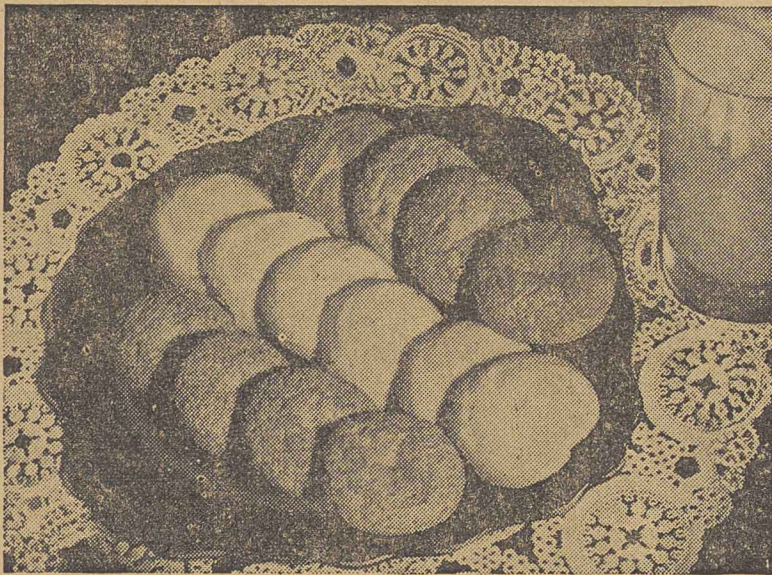
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## My-y-y-y, But They Are Good! They Say About These Cookies



**COOKIES** you can serve with fruit for dessert, or for in-between snacks are a summer "must."

And cookie recipes that can be stirred up in a twinkling are a find. To aid your knack for making cookies fast, use the new self-rising flour which cuts sifting and measuring time in half. All you do is combine this new self-rising flour with fat, sugar, eggs, milk, and flavoring and your cookies are ready for the oven. They're more economical, too, for a high grade slow acting baking powder is already mixed into the flour.

For a good combination, try lemon cookies and walnut rocks, as follows:

### Lemon Cookies.

Cream  $\frac{1}{2}$  cup butter and  $\frac{3}{4}$  cup sugar together. Add 1 egg, and stir until thoroughly blended. Add 2 cups self-rising flour (sifted before

measured) and  $\frac{1}{2}$  cup milk alternately. Add the juice and grated rind of  $\frac{1}{2}$  lemon and 1 teaspoon lemon extract. Drop by teaspoonfuls on a greased baking sheet and bake in moderate oven (330 degrees F.) about 20 minutes.

### Walnut Rocks.

Cream  $\frac{3}{4}$  cup fat and  $1\frac{1}{2}$  cups light brown sugar. Add 2 eggs one at a time and beat vigorously. Add  $\frac{1}{2}$  cup milk alternately with 3 cups self-rising flour, 1 teaspoon allspice, 1 teaspoon cinnamon,  $\frac{1}{4}$  teaspoon cloves,  $\frac{1}{4}$  teaspoon nutmeg,  $\frac{1}{4}$  teaspoon ginger. When blended, add  $1\frac{1}{2}$  cups black walnuts and 1 cup raisins or dates. Form into little balls about  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch in diameter or drop from tip of a spoon on a greased baking sheet. Bake in moderate oven (350 degrees F.) about 15 minutes.

## MATTRESS PROGRAM IS MADE NATION-WIDE

Agricultural leaders in northern states are calling upon leaders in southern states to help them with the nation-wide cotton mattress making program.

Nell Pickens, extension economist, home management, Alabama Extension Service, has been asked to spend the next month in the northeast section of the country helping agricultural workers plan their mattress making activities during the winter months. Other southern states are lending representatives to other sections of the country.

The new mattress program gets under way in Alabama in early November.

## BROWNIES HOLD MEETING

The Brownies held their regular meeting Tuesday afternoon, October 29, at the Little House.

After the program, a Halloween party was enjoyed by the children. The decorations and refreshments were in keeping with the holiday spirit. Those attending were Julia Kennerly, Annie Beeland Stabler, Lauri Orr, Carolyn Kliner, Susan Sharp, Betty Ann Smitherman, Margaret Ann Hendrick, Eleanor McCloskey, Betty Klotzman, Maxine Vincent, and two visitors, Mrs. C. G. Sharp and Joanna Sharp.

Mr. Zanie Nathews of the University of Alabama spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Nathews.

## Farmers Preparing Land For Pasture

farmers are now preparing lands for seeding to pasture grasses and clover next spring, reports J. C. Lowery, extension agronomist.

"They have found it best to thoroughly plow the land and to disc the phosphate and lime into the soil several weeks prior to planting in order to have a firm seed bed," he says. "The land is prepared in the fall and freshened with a harrow just before sowing the seed."

Lowery recommends that the land be fertilized with a ton of basic slag or pulverized limestone and 1,000 pounds of superphosphate per acre. Farmers who do not wish to apply this much basic slag and superphosphate may use an annual application of 500 pounds of pulverized limestone.

"Moist branch bottoms now occupied by bushes and trees could be changed into productive land by clearing and establishing permanent pastures on them," Lowery says.

"The importance of farmers growing more pastures is indicated in a survey revealing that cattle receive a third of their feed from pastures at one-seventh of the total feed costs.

"Pastures are the basis of any livestock program since the most economical feed is that harvested by animals themselves."

## NEGRO MIDGET GOSPEL SINGER IS COMING HERE

B. F. Holmes is advertising the coming of Minnie C. Turner, Negro midget gospel singer, to Ward Chapel A. M. E. Church, Montevallo, November 5 and 6.

She will render a special musical program. Arrangements are announced for white people to hear the program from 6 to 7:15; colored from 7:45 to 8:30.

The hand-bill says, "Don't fail to see and hear her. She is a wonder. She is 34 inches high and weighs 60 pounds."

## WALTER ADKINS ON DEAN'S LIST AT MARION

Marion, Ala.—Major L. H. Baer, dean, announced today the 27 Marion Institute students who made the highest academic grades for the month of September. To be included on the dean's list a student must average 85 or above with no grades below 80. Good standing in conduct is also required.

Students named on the dean's list for the month of September includes Cadet Walter Adkins, Jr., of Montevallo.

Miss Mary Cobb DeShazo of Talladega spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Viola DeShazo.

Mrs. T. D. Hill of Bessemer was the week end guest of Mrs. P. E. Lee.

## How To Keep Fit



**When Judy Garland is not working or whenever she has some time off during production you will find her taking a good part of this time in exercising. Here we find her riding a mechanical bicycle in the playroom of her home.**

## GIRL SCOUTS

The Girl Scouts of Troop 2 met at the Little House Wednesday afternoon.

The girls brought all of the old toys that they could find to fix over for their Christmas project.

Mrs. Carey V. Stabler and the following girls were present: Sarah Barr, Tootsie Clayton, Mary Jean Kennerly, Pat Weems, Frances Woods, Frances Nybeck, Virginia Barnes, Peggy Davis, Sara Henry Reynolds, Julia Rogan, and Dama Wills.

## Power Company Pays Kilowatt Tax

Birmingham, Ala. — Thomas W. Martin, president of Alabama Power Company, today forwarded a check to the tax officials at Montgomery for \$347,263.68 in payment of the company's hydro-electric kilowatt hour tax. This amount goes into the special educational trust fund of Alabama and will be devoted to educational purposes. Each of Alabama's 67 counties participates and 13 counties will receive over five thousand dollars each for high schools and elementary schools, based on the 1939 disbursements of the State Board of Education.

The higher institutions of learning in the state will participate in the fund as follows: Alabama Polytechnic Institute \$30,570.36; University of Alabama, \$17,353.40; Alabama College, \$9,085; State Teachers Colleges at Florence, Jacksonville, Livingston, Troy, Montgomery, and Daphne will receive a total of \$17,201.00; A. & M. Institute, \$721.00; Alabama School of Trades, \$1,442.

President Martin, in commenting on this payment, called attention to the fact that it represented only a part of Alabama Power Company taxes for 1940; total taxes for 1940 being estimated at approximately \$3,500,000. He further stated:

"Over one million dollars of the total amount of taxes paid to the State of Alabama by the company goes directly into specific school funds. This is equivalent to approximately \$65.00 for each school teacher in the state and represents over 8 per cent of their total annual salary."

## Mrs. Riddle Leads Missionary Meeting

Mrs. J. I. Riddle was leader of the program at the meeting of the Baptist Missionary Society. The subject was "God's Unchanging Plan of Stewardship." Taking part on the program were Miss May Woods, Mrs. Fred Frost, Mrs. H. G. Parker, Mrs. R. A. Reid, Mrs. J. L. Bridges presided over the business meeting. Those present were Mrs. N. R. Phillips, Mrs. W. B. Nelson, Mrs. H. G. Parker, Mrs. Fred Frost, Mrs. Della Mulkey, Mrs. Robson, Mrs. Kilpatrick, Mrs. Langston, Miss May Wood, Mrs. J. L. Bridges, Mrs. M. P. Jeter, Mrs. J. I. Riddle. The nominating committee submitted the following report of officers for the year beginning January 1, 1941:

Mrs. J. L. Bridges, president; Mrs. P. D. Pendleton, first vice-president; Mrs. A. C. Anderson, second vice-president; Mrs. H. G. Parker, third vice-president; Mrs. M. P. Jeter, secretary; Mrs. A. H. Watson, treasurer.

Plans were made to begin a new mission study book at the next circle meeting, preparatory to the week of prayer.

Mrs. N. E. Phillips and son, Edwin Jeter, of Scottsboro, were recent visitors to home folks here.

## STUDIOSIS

The annual fall meeting of the Shelby County organization of federated clubs has been scheduled to meet at 2:30, November 7, in Reynolds Hall. It is hoped that a number of the Studiosis members will be interested in attending this meeting, which is open to all club women of the county.

Mrs. J. W. Sewell left Tuesday for her home in Titus, after a visit of several days with her daughter, Mrs. J. L. Appleton.



## ROOTED TOO DEEP



## Vote No On Amendment No. 2

School people of Alabama advise the voters of the state to vote against proposed Constitutional Amendment No. 2 in the general election next Tuesday. It is stated that this proposal would abolish the Public Schools Corporation and substitute in its place a plan which would destroy most of the Public Schools Corporation.

H. G. Greer, president of the Alabama Association of School Administrators, points out the following undesirable and dangerous features of the proposed Amendment No. 2:

"This proposed (and in our opinion unwise) constitutional amendment gives the Governor the power to secure loans for any state purpose and to pledge therefor the entire revenues of the state. This means, for instance, that the amendment gives the Governor the authority to borrow money for the Highway Department and to repay the loan from the school funds, or vice versa. Our neighbor, the State of Georgia, has had some very sad experiences resulting from a similar executive power. With the right kind of Governor in the executive chair, such as we have been fortunate enough to have in Alabama, the dangers from such a constitutional provision would not perhaps be so great. If this proposed amendment is adopted, however, the way would be open for an unscrupulous Governor to divert school funds, highway funds, or any other of the state funds. Why risk the danger of putting such a provision in our basic laws?"

Governor Dixon has announced his opposition to Amendment No. 2.

## Women In State Government

Woman's place may be in the home, as the old timers were wont to say, but it has been demonstrated innumerable times that woman not only is a proficient homemaker but that she is capable of doing almost anything that a man can do and do it as well. Women are now high up in medicine, law, industry, commerce, finance, they are publishing newspapers and in some parts of the world they have proved their worth as soldiers.

It is interesting to note that four of the most important positions in the state government now are held by women, Mrs. Marie Bankhead Owen has long been director of the State Department of Archives and History. She holds her office by election of a board, as does Miss Loula Dunn. Two women were appointed to high official place by Governor Diron. They are Mrs. Edwina Mitchell, member of the Board of Pardons and Paroles, and now Miss Addie Lee Farish, director of the Department of Commerce. Miss Dunn is director of the Department of Welfare.

All of these public servants are distinguished for their brains and executive ability. All of them are especially well fitted to perform the duties of their offices.

The appointment yesterday of Miss Farish as director of the Department of Commerce is recognition by promotion of a career woman. Miss Farish has long been recognized as a thorough-going bank examiner and in recent years has been deputy bank superintendent. She has a professional knowledge of banking and banking laws which equip her to direct the Department of Commerce. Her appointment will be well received by all who have knowledge of Miss Farish's capacities.—Montgomery Advertiser.

## FARMERS ADVISED TO GROW MORE WHEAT

Auburn, Ala.—J. C. Lowery, extension agronomist, is advocating that Alabama farmers plant more wheat for flour, grazing, erosion control and hay.

"The Piedmont, Limestone Valleys and other heavier soils in the state are well adapted to wheat production," he says.

From four to six pecks of wheat should be planted per acre before November 15. Bluestem varieties such as Alabama, Gasta or Purple Straw are recommended.

If the land was not liberally fertilized for the previous crop, the wheat should be fertilized with 400 pounds of superphosphate and 50 pounds of muriate of potash at

planting and top-dress with 24 to 36 pounds of nitrogen about the first of March.

Stinking smut may be controlled by mixing with each bushel of seed wheat two and a half ounces of copper carbonate with a rotating machine, a barrel mixer or a barrel churn, or use mercury dust according to manufacturer's instructions.

Loose smut may be controlled as follows: Fill a bag half full of seed and tie the top of the bag. Soak the seed for four hours in cold water. Have two large tubs of water heated, one to 120 degrees and the other to 129 degrees Fahrenheit.

Dip soaked seed in tub of water at 120 degrees for a few minutes, then place in the second tub of water at 129 degrees for 10 minutes. Spread in a thin layer until dry.

## Farm-City Relationships

Alabama College, the State College for Women at Montevallo, this week added to a long list of notable contributions by publishing "Alabama Rural Communities—a Study of Chilton County." By encouraging such work at Alabama College, President A. F. Harman has built the institution's prestige on a national scale, and has increased his own stature as a distinguished Alabama educator. Vision for this Chilton County study was supplied by Dr. Irwin T. Sanders, young professor of sociology at Alabama College, who was assisted by Douglas Ensinger, social scientist of the Bureau of Agricultural Economics, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Their little book of eighty pages is an attractive and a valuable addition to Alabamiana.

Noting the success of Clanton, principal town of Chilton County, in making itself the trading center for a broad area, the authors make the following observations which, we believe, have significance for the people of Anniston:

How has Clanton been so successful in attracting these forty neighborhoods to itself? Clanton, of course, is a county seat, but many county seats in neighboring counties, despite political advantages and central locations, have not grown like Clanton. This leads to a consideration of farm-village relationships.

In the first place, the farmers' connections with Clanton are primarily commercial. There is little social participation on the part of rural people in the town organizations, but over a period of years the rural people have formed the habit of going to town whenever they felt the desire to go anywhere. It is this Clanton-going habit, this desire "to see and be seen," that links the distant neighborhoods with Clanton.

In the second place, there is a difference of opinion among Clanton leaders as to farm-village relationships, though consensus is that the situation is not yet what it should be but is steadily growing better. The reasons most often given for the more friendly contacts are two-fold: First, the county is evenly divided between two political parties, thus making it necessary for politicians really to go out of town and "shake hands for votes;" and secondly, the Kiwanis Club. This organization takes from 50 to 300 farmers to Auburn every year to visit the State College of Agriculture; it holds meetings out in the various neighborhoods where each Kiwanian invites a farmer as guest and pays for two dinners, the money going to the cause supported by the local women serving the lunch. The County Fair held each year at the Clanton Airport attracts 12,000 paid admissions. The Mayor of Clanton insists in all his talks of dedication and welcome that "Clanton needs the country people and the country people need Clanton; that the larger Clanton gets the more taxes they will have to build good roads and schools in the country."

Much of this program might well be studied by Anniston's leadership. This newspaper continues to believe that our permanent prosperity depends upon prosperity for Calhoun County farmers, and upon their friendship for this city.—Anniston Times.

## PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Mr. Davis will preach at the Sunday morning service on the subject, "No Reduction in the Wages of Sin."

Mr. Stabler will lead a discussion at the Presbyterian Student Association meeting at 7 o'clock on the subject, "Christian Youth and Politics." This is a very important subject to come at this time when we are thinking so much about the political affairs in our country.

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## THE POCKETBOOK of KNOWLEDGE BY TOPPS



## Comment of Congressman Pete Jarman Relative To the Election Tuesday

With the approach of the national election, I regard it as a duty which it affords me unusual pleasure to perform to call the attention of the fine people who read the Times to what I regard as the desirability of a Democratic victory.

It matters not whether we agree with everything the present administration has done, whether we felt before the Chicago Convention that the tradition against a third term should not be broken, or whether we are dyed in the wool New Dealers; I am convinced that it is to our best interest, not only in the South, but throughout the nation, to retain the Democratic Party in power with President Roosevelt at the helm.

It is entirely possible, although we all sincerely hope it will not occur, that we will be confronted in the immediate future with the most serious and dangerous time in the history of America, not excluding the World War period. Certainly this possibility off-sets any sentiment against a third term and tells us of the absolute necessity of retaining in power during such a crucial time one with practical experience in government and particularly in foreign affairs. There has certainly never been a period in our history when the adage about changing horses in the middle of the stream was more appropriate.

In view of the general situation, the entire world looks to America at this moment, and I am very much afraid of the result of the opinion which might be created in the minds of foreign powers should President Roosevelt by any chance be defeated. This being true, it seems to me that this election presents a matter, not only of party loyalty, not only of national loyalty, but possibly of patriotism and of self defense even in the personal, selfish sense of that expression.

President Roosevelt and the Democratic congressmen have exerted, and will continue to exert, every possible effort toward keeping us out of war, and toward the defense of America should one come to our shores. This being true, this is certainly no time for embarrassing political sharp-shooting at our public officials, or for changing any of the experienced ones merely because of the ambition of someone who, without any experience whatever in public affairs, egotistically thinks he would make a good public official.

There has never been the slightest doubt of the outcome in my mind

since I heard Mr. Willkie's acceptance speech. There was, of course, no doubt prior thereto of the outcome in Alabama. Even the size of the vote, however, might be viewed with significance by foreign powers as a yardstick of the solidarity of America. Consequently, it behooves us to bring this Democratic vote to mountainous proportions. There being no contest in Shelby County, the great and only danger is the failure of many of our good people to vote.

Let us all make it our business from now until the election to urge each person with whom we come in contact not to forget the performance of this public duty on November 5. Each man and woman should, of course, vote his or her conviction, but it is the duty of each of us to exercise this free and untrammelled franchise which privilege does not now exist in so many countries. I am convinced that its general exercise will result in an overwhelming vote of confidence in Democracy.

## MISS FARRAH ENTERTAINS HER MOTHER

Miss Katherine Farrah entertained her mother, Mrs. Farrah, of Tuscaloosa, while she was a visitor here last week. A delightful salad course was served to the following guests: Miss Hattie Lyman, Mrs. E. S. Lyman, Mr. R. L. Griffin, Miss Melba Griffin, Miss Marion Jones-Williams, and the hostess and honoree.

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## LOCAL NEWS OF CALERA

Mrs. E. L. Austin of Florence spent the week end with her daughter, Miss Marjorie Austin, one of Calera's elementary teachers.

Mrs. Nellie Cromer of Stuart, Florida, spent Friday night with Mrs. Richard Ozley. Mr. Ozley came over from Cairo, Ga., for the week end.

The study class of W. S. C. S. was divided into Red and Blue sides. There were five days of study and the Blues had the best attendance record, so the Reds will entertain them Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. E. Bowdon, Jr.

The Calera school is sponsoring a queen contest. Each grade selects a queen and Friday afternoon of last week one was chosen from the lower grammar grades, one from the upper grammar grades, and one each from junior and senior high school. Hallowe'en night the one of the four who has the highest number of votes will be crowned "Queen of the Hallowe'en Carnival."

Thursday night, October 31, the Calera school will have a Hallowe'en Carnival. There will be a room of fine needlework, and a display of antiques for the older people to enjoy.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Smith Wilson visited friends in Calera Friday afternoon on their way to Childersburg to see Mrs. Wilson's father and mother.

Mrs. Turner of Hanceville went home Friday after a visit to her son, Mr. Fred Camp.

Mrs. O'Neal, Mrs. Wayne, and Mr. Tom Pilgreen spent Saturday in Birmingham and brought Miss Ada Holcombe home for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Bates of Shelby visited the A. B. Baxleys Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Allen were called to Albertville Saturday because of illness of Mrs. Allen's mother.

Mrs. C. D. Cowart, Mrs. Fred Allen, Mrs. A. F. Seale attended a district meeting of W. C. T. U. last Friday at the First Methodist Church. Miss Zemina Holcombe came home with them.

Mrs. Austin and Miss Marjorie Austin shopped in Birmingham Saturday.

Mr. William Eddings of Greenville spent the week end at home at Twin Oaks.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Mothershed and daughter, and Mrs. J. L. Mothershed of Birmingham, Mrs. C. D. Cowart's mother, spent Sunday in Calera with the C. D. Cowarts.

The W. S. C. S. of the Methodist Church will hold its regular meeting at the church on Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Mrs. Z. S. Cowart, Jr., will have charge of the program.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Jeffers and daughters, Misses Minnie Belle and Jane, of Birmingham, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Holcombe.

Miss Mary Catherine Sorrell visited Miss Louise Baxley Sunday. Miss Sorrell was on her way to Sylacauga for the week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Parker, Jr., spent Sunday in Birmingham with Mr. and Mrs. Dan Beaman.

Mrs. C. W. Wade has opened up the New Ideal Cafe next to the theatre.

Mr. W. B. Ozley of Bessemer was a welcome visitor in Calera Monday. Mrs. Willie Pearl Langston and children of Centreville visited her father, Mr. C. W. Wade, Sunday.

## Sectional Issues Raised by Willkie Charges Dixon

Montgomery, Ala.—Gov. Frank M. Dixon, in an address broadcast Saturday evening at Montgomery over a state-wide radio hookup, declared that Wendell L. Willkie, Republican nominee for President of the United States, has made it impossible for those who know the true picture of the South to support him.

The chief executive, speaking on behalf and in support of the Democratic ticket in Alabama, charged that in a speech delivered at Fall River, Mass., reported in the daily press on October 11, the Republican nominee injected a sectional issue into the campaign. Mr. Willkie did this, he said, by comparing the expenditures under the Roosevelt administrations in Alabama, Mississippi, and Arkansas, and the internal revenue tax collections in those states, with the expenditures and internal revenue collections in Massachusetts, commenting "and that is one reason your factories up here in New England are idle while new factories that compete with you are being built in Mississippi, Arkansas and Alabama."

Not one word of apology was spoken by Mr. Willkie for the action of his party in creating "Economic Problem Number One" (as the South has been labeled from time to time), Governor Dixon pointed out—"Not one word of sympathy to us in our fight to remove the unfair freight rate differential—not one word in apology for the burdens of the tariff. No sympathy for that poverty of a great section responsible for those low tax collections, no recognition of the fact that the wealth of New England came from the unfair burdens which impoverished us throughout the years; nothing—save the direct intimation that we of the South have, in his election, no future to look forward to save a continuation of our chains."

Conceding that in the heat of a political campaign much is said that is not fully thought out and that does not represent a maturity of ideas, the Governor stated: "It may be that Mr. Willkie is not familiar with these things, is not familiar with the background, is not familiar with the fact that the justice of our claims has received national recognition—that there is no longer doubt in the minds of our people that a nation cannot prosper half rich and half poor, that much of the help we are receiving comes from fair-minded people of the North and East."

"If the attack on us was with knowledge of the facts, then it was unfair. If it was without knowledge of the facts, then this is no time for those of us whose lives are bound up with the welfare of these Southern States to undertake the basic education of anyone in our affairs. To the danger caused by our foreign affairs—of changing horses in the midst of a stream—of changing leaders in the midst of a storm, is added for us the danger of the election of one who would seek to perpetuate impossible burdens on our people."

Opening his address with the reminder that the governors of the respective states were made responsible for setting up the machinery to carry the provisions of the Selective Service Act into operation, Governor Dixon said that this responsibility, with his other duties, as the state's chief executive, had left him and others in his position. no time "to work at or think of politics." Fortunately, he added, since Alabama is not a doubtful state, there has been no necessity for him to do so, nor is there any necessity now. "But it seemed advisable," he continued, "for those of us who have been constituted the heads of the Democratic Party in Alabama, to make clear that the organization and the party are intact and functioning as they for long years have been, and for long years will be. Alabama is a Democratic state by inheritance, and today by choice"—and he quoted from the history of the South as a re-

minder of why this is so.

"Through Reconstruction and following it down the years," Governor Dixon stated, "have come a long chain of events which today have made the South the so-called economic problem of the nation. Why an economic problem? Because of its poverty—compared with those more fortunate sections of which we know. Because many of its people do not have enough to eat, enough to wear, enough on which to maintain more than a bare existence."

Propounding the questions "Whence came this condition in a land endowed by God with tremendous natural resources, with a homogenous people, with the longest growing season on earth—with a wealth of navigable rivers—with all the elements that go to make up a garden spot on earth?" and "Why should our wealth be so little that our public health services are half-starved, our schools unable to receive adequate support, our payments for relief be limited far below the national average, our governmental services to our people performed only in half measure when performed at all?" the Governor asked.

"In my opinion because of a deliberately conceived and executed policy, put into effect by that party which in the day of its greatest success gave us reconstruction, and which since that time has been dedicated to the maintenance of the system which created of this South of ours a colonial empire—the sole function of which has been to enrich the industrial East." Citing the freight rate discrimination against the South and its effect, the Governor stated, "Many another discrimination against us, not nearly as important but effective nevertheless, could be cited," the total effect of which has been "to cement further solidarity throughout the years."

"The Republican Party," the Governor said, "is the party which throughout the years has been the determined, if not avowed enemy of the South"—the party "which cannot help but take the credit for the impoverishment of our people."

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## A. B. BAXLEY

### Candidate for Probate Judge of Shelby County, Alabama

To the Voters of Shelby County:

I make this final appeal to the voters, asking their careful and prayerful consideration, for Probate Judge of Shelby County in the election Tuesday, November 5, 1940.

I have made a conscientious effort to see as many voters of the County as I possibly could. Yet, I know, there are many good Democrats and Republicans that I have not met, but it was not intentional and I want your friendship whether I get your vote or not.

I entered this campaign in an honest endeavor to conduct a clean campaign. This I have done. I wish to thank all who have helped—whether Democrats or Republicans—to make this campaign on a high plane and sincerely hope and trust that it will continue this way right on to the end, November 5. I have not tried to induce any man or woman to vote against his or her sincere convictions. I do insist, however, that each and every voter consider well before casting your ballot on election day.

The world is in a great turmoil. Our nation, state and county is in a grave condition. This election will make history. It will be a great epoch in the life of the American people. Think of the future! Shall the middle-age man have another opportunity or shall he be tied down to relief and WPA jobs the balance of his life? Our loved ones at home must abide by the result of this election.

As a candidate for Probate Judge of Shelby County, nominated by the Republicans and endorsed by many good Democrats, I wish to say that

I was born and reared on a farm at Marble Valley, Coosa County, Ala. Attended the public schools there, then entered Abilene (Texas) Christian College and was there for three years, finishing at Nashville Bible School (now David Lipscomb College) in 1911. I taught school in the public schools of Alabama. I worked with, and lectured for a farm organization for five years. I came to Calera in 1924 and have been engaged in the real estate business since that time. I have served, as best I could, the Town of Calera as Mayor for eight years. My record as Mayor and as a public spirited man stands for itself.

I am the first and only candidate for Probate Judge, so far as I know, to come out in the open for the old-age pension—offering help and aid to the same. I believe the probate office belongs to the people and as such, every individual citizen, regardless of his vocation in life, should be made to feel at home when he has business in the probate office.

If I am elected, the decision of my court will be made by the court and not by the lawyers. In fact, the office will be conducted in an honest, upright, clean and conscientious way.

And now, whether you be Democrat or Republican, vote a "straight" or "split" ticket, vote your convictions. Go to the polls November 5 and vote. I am a poor man and any help you give me now will not be forgotten.

Thanking you in advance for your kind consideration, I am

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## Governor Favors Freeing Toll Bridge

Montgomery, Ala. — Governor Frank M. Dixon today endorsed the proposal to abolish the toll on the O'Neal Bridge between Florence and Sheffield, declaring that toll bridges are "out of place in the modern highway system we are creating in Alabama." Alabama voters will pass on the proposal to free the bridge when they go to the polls on November 5.

"The toll bridge across the Tennessee River is not only a nuisance but the sole remaining blot on our system of good roads," Gov. Dixon said. "Alabama is being penalized because we cannot advertise, as other states do, that we are entirely free of toll bridges. Voters can correct this matter by voting 'Yes' to Amendment No. 1 when they go to the polls on November 5."

The governor pointed out that the Muscle Shoals area not only is potentially an important entry point for tourists coming to Alabama but that the section is rapidly gaining in importance in the national defense program.

Endorsement by Gov. Dixon of the plan to free the bridge followed by a few days similar action by the Alabama State Chamber of Commerce, which stressed the value of advertising toll-free highways in the campaign to attract more tourists to Alabama.

State Highway Department officials have shown that a average of \$148,000 in interest charges will be effected by converting indebtedness on the bridge to state bridge bonds which could be financed at little more than half the present rate.

## Members Of 1901 Convention Meet

Montgomery, Ala. — Alabamians who were members or officers of the Constitutional Convention of 1901 that wrote the state's present basic laws, will assemble here again October 30 for their third reunion.

Gov. Frank M. Dixon and Judge Leon McCord (Fifth U. S. District Court of Appeals) have been invited to speak, according to Frank N. Julian, state insurance commissioner and former secretary of the convention.

Those expected to attend the reunion are:

A. H. Carmichael, Tusculumbia; John W. Davis, Fort Payne; G. H. Carnathan, Butler; William F. Fitts, Tuscaloosa; J. Thomas Heflin, LaFayette; John T. Heflin, Roanoke; O. R. Hood, Gadsden; N. R. Leigh, Jr., Mobile; L. W. Locklin, Monroeville; W. T. Lowe, Decatur; Milo Moody, Scottsboro; W. O. Mulkey, Geneva; John W. O'Neill, Birmingham; Erle Pettus, Athens; E. A. Phillips, Ashland; F. H. Reese, Selma; L. H. Reynolds, Clanton; J. Fritz Thompson, Centreville; W. H. Tayloe, Uniontown; J. O. Sentell, Luverne; Mike Solie, Ozark; J. B. Sloan, Oneonta; W. M. Vaughan, Selma; S. L. Studdard, Fayette; J. H. Gilmore, Thomasville.

Surviving officers: Frank N. Julian, secretary, Montgomery; W. F. Herbert, assistant secretary, Demopolis.

Messengers: Grover C. Prowell, Birmingham; M. J. Bulger, Dadeville.

Pages: Henry Long, Montgomery; Charles Eyster, Decatur; Henry Reese, Selma; Joe King, Anniston; Julian Tutwiler, Montgomery; Louie Wilson, Mobile; Harry Driver, LaFayette; Paul West, Birmingham; T. W. Alley, Montgomery.

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## UNDERWOOD M. S. C. S. MEETS

The Women's Society of Christian Service of Underwood met at the home of Mrs. Frank Frost Wednesday afternoon, October 23. Mrs. W. T. Evans presided at the brief business session. She also gave an interesting report of the conference attended in Birmingham.

Mrs. Frank Frost had charge of the program, assisted by Mrs. B. B. Peete and Lucille Daviston. The program subject was "Sharing Possessions."

Following the program delightful refreshments were served to the members and two visitors, Mrs. O. V. Farr and Mrs. Ed Atchison.

## STATE OF ALABAMA A PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Legislature of Alabama, at the Regular Session 1939, ordered an election to be held by the qualified electors of the State of Alabama upon a certain proposed amendment to the Constitution of Alabama, which said amendment is herein set out, and ordered that said election be held the day of the General Election next succeeding the final adjournment of the Legislature at which the election was ordered; and

WHEREAS, the First Tuesday after the First Monday in November, 1940, which is the 5th day of November, is the time for holding the General Election in 1940; and

WHEREAS, notice of such election, together with the proposed amendment is required by law, and by the provisions of the Act submitting said Amendment, to be given by a proclamation of the Governor to be published in each County in the State of Alabama once a week for four successive weeks immediately preceding the said 5th day of November:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Frank M. Dixon, as Governor of the State of Alabama, do hereby give notice, direct and proclaim that on Tuesday, the 5th day of November, 1940, an election will be held at the several polling places within the State of Alabama, in the manner and form provided by law; upon the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901:

"The Legislature of Alabama may hereafter, from time to time, by general or local laws, fix, regulate and alter the costs and charges of courts, fees, commissions, allowances and salaries to be charged or received by any county officer of Morgan County, including, without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the Judge of Probate, Tax Collector, Tax Assessor, Sheriff, Circuit Clerk, and Register, including the method and basis of compensation of such officer, and may provide for the placing of any such officer on a salary and that the fees, costs and allowances collected by such officer be paid into the County treasury. All acts of the regular or adjourned session of the Legislature of Alabama which convened in January 1939, fixing or purporting to fix the compensation of any such officer on a salary basis are hereby validated and confirmed."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday, the 5th day of November, 1940, upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901, be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 5th day of November, 1940, in each County in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said County.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed by the Secretary of State, at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery, on this the 12th day of September, 1940.

FRANK M. DIXON,  
Governor.

Attest:  
John Brandon,  
Secretary of State.

## HOME EC STAFF ENTERTAINS HOME EC STUDENTS

The home economics staff entertained Friday evening with a reception at Reynolds Hall for the home economics majors.

In the receiving line were Mrs. A. F. Harman, Dean and Mrs. T. H. Napier, Dr. Lois Ackerley, the new members of the home economics staff, who are Misses Ruth Dunn, Christine Beasley, Leacy Newell, and Olivia Smenner.

About three hundred guests called during the appointed hours.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Gravlee have moved to our town. They have taken the Houlditch house north of the college campus.

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I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election upon Tuesday, the 5th day of November, 1940, upon the above set forth amendment to the Constitution of the State of Alabama of 1901, be given by publishing the same once a week for four successive weeks next preceding Tuesday the 5th day of November, 1940, in each County in the State of Alabama in a newspaper published in said County.



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## WILTON NEWS

Our Baptist revival has just closed with several additions to the church. Large crowds heard the inspiring messages each day.

Mrs. Ann Vest left this week for New York City for an extended visit.

Mr. R. D. Gunlock, Jr., and son, Bobbie, spent the week end in Demopolis with Mrs. Gunlock's sister.

Miss Lucille Beaty visited her mother, Mrs. Ellen Beaty, and Mrs. Clarence Lucas over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Lindsey visited Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Beasley last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Turner spent the week end with Mrs. Mae Moreland.

Misses Louise, Johnnie, and Leonard Sanders visited with Mrs. Grey Strother over the week end.

Miss Frances Bassett spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bassett.

Miss Alice Nolen was at home over the week end.

Mrs. Buster Griffin, Miss Lavada Ambrose and Mr. Ehney Ambrose spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ambrose.

Mrs. L. T. Reeves is spending a few days in Birmingham.

Mrs. Maggie McClendon, who has been visiting in Bessemer, has returned home and her daughter, Mrs. Floyd Armstrong, returned with her.

Mr. Frank and Floyd Crosby, who have been to Miami, Fla., have returned home.

Miss Louise and Leonard Sanders spent Saturday in Birmingham.

Mr. Bobby Cleary visited with home folks over the week end.

Mrs. Charlie Ambrose and Mrs. Charlie Blocker visited in Gurney Junction Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Bowden spent Sunday with Bennie's parents.

Miss Vedia Reeves spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Reeves.

Mr. and Mrs. Lance Hubbard visited Mrs. V. L. Hubbard over the week end.

Mrs. Maggie McClendon is visiting her daughter in Bessemer this week.

Mr. Houston Adams spent the week end at home.

Miss Mary Conway spent last week with friends in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Underwood and Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Whetstone and son, Dan, spent Sunday with relatives in Bessemer.

Miss Sara Jo Lacey spent the week end in Wylam with her sister, Miss Dot Lacey.

Among those who attended the study course in Montevallo this week were Mrs. Abey Robinson, Mrs. Jim Splawn, Mrs. Jim Adams, and Mrs. Jenny Moreland.

Honoring her mother, Mrs. J. R. Gardner, on her birthday, Mrs. P. E. Thompson entertained with a tea. The home was decorated with pink roses and dahlias. In the dining room the lace covered table was centered with a silver vase of pink dahlias. Tea was poured by Mrs. Ellen Beaty and Mrs. Will McClendon. Tall white tapers burned in silver holders and color motif of white and pink was carried out in refreshments. Gifts were displayed by Mrs. Ben Battles. Many friends called during the hours from 2 until 4.

Miss Nellie Mae Touchstone entertained with a tea for her visitor, Miss Marjorie Black, of Birmingham. Those included in this enjoyable event were Misses Annie Mae Paulk, Alice Anderson, Celia Methvin, Birdie Margaret Moor, and the hostess and honoree.

## Dr. Steckel Speaks in Dothan



This interesting picture of Dr. Minnie L. Steckel, student counselor at Alabama College, was made by a staff photographer of the Dothan Eagle when Dr. Steckel spoke to members of the Business and Professional Women's Clubs in Dothan recently at a banquet given in her honor.

As the state president this year of Alabama's Business and

Professional Women, Dr. Steckel has made addresses in recent weeks to similar groups in Huntsville, Sylacauga, Montgomery, Decatur, and Columbiana, and other Alabama units of Business and Professional Women. She also headed a delegation from Alabama to the Southeastern Conference of Business and Professional Women which met recently in Bristol, Tenn.

## MONTEVALLO LOCAL NEWS

Mr. Gene May has gone to Huntsville where he has accepted a position.

Dr. E. P. Moon and daughters, Mesdames Davis, Collier and Head, of Wetumpka, were Friday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lewis.

Misses Martha and Jane DuPree stopped Tuesday morning for a short visit with Mrs. O. B. Cooper enroute to their home in Jacksonville, Fla.

Master Robert Edward Lyman spent the week end with his father, Mr. Fee Lyman, in Tuscaloosa. A fishing trip on the Warrior River was a very delightful event for Robert Edward and he tells us that he caught four fish. He also says the largest one got away. Is that another fish tale, Robert Edward?

Miss Annie Mary Jones-Williams is leaving the first of November to accept a position at the Goodwyn Institute Library in Memphis, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. David Whittington were the week end guests of their mother, Mrs. Edwin Allen. They were enroute to Hot Springs.

Misses Mary Ling Haley, Nellie Mae Touchstone, Leacy Newell, and Elnora Gammage had dinner at the Purefoy Hotel in Talladega Sunday.

We regret to list Miss Mary Love Martin on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Cary V. Stabler is substituting for Miss Agnes Tutwiler at the high school. Miss Tutwiler has resigned because of ill health.

Mr. J. R. Lewis left Tuesday for Hot Springs.

Miss Olivia Smenner's many friends will be happy to learn that she is recovering nicely from an injured ankle.

Mrs. W. F. Davis of Columbiana was the Sunday evening guest of Mrs. C. L. Meroney.

## COTTON GINNING REPORT

Census report shows that 1,879 bales of cotton were ginned in Shelby County from the crop of 1940 prior to October 18, as compared with 2,861 bales for the crop of 1939, according to Gordon Mooney, special agent of the Department of Commerce.

## Financial Report of Tuberculosis Seal Sales in Shelby County for Last Year

## Spring Creek News

## Demonstration Club

Mrs. Robert Ingram entertained the Demonstration Club Wednesday afternoon. The house was attractively decorated with fall flowers and beautiful leaves.

The program was opened with prayer offered by the president. The song session was opened by singing "God Bless America."

The demonstration for the day was on landscaping and was presented by Miss Cotney and Miss Lois Alexander. A contest that proved very enjoyable was guessing the number of seed in a pumpkin. Miss Lois Alexander was winner and was presented a religious plaque.

Mrs. Ingram introduced a groaning ghost that told us Hallowe'en would be here this week.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Robert Frost and all members are to go dressed as Pilgrims.

In the social hour Mrs. Ingram's daughters, Helen, Elizabeth, and Martha Alice, assisted her in serving a very attractive plate and coffee.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbie Ingram and children and Mrs. Jack Ingram spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Fermon Albright in Ebenezer.

Miss Bonnie Kendrick of Birmingham spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vest Kendrick.

Mrs. Bert Ingram and children spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Yeager were Friday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Ingram. Mrs. Mauldin and Mrs. Charles Parker returned to Birmingham with them after a few weeks visit here.

Mrs. B. R. Alexander and little E. G., son of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Alexander, were honored Sunday with a birthday celebration at the home of Mr. Glen Alexander. Those attending were Mrs. T. W. Ingram and children, Mrs. Vest Kendrick and children, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Nabors of Birmingham, and Mrs. Eva Hackett. Also Mrs. Max Allen and daughter, Shirley Sue, Miss Bonnie Kendrick, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Zelyman and children, and Mrs. Will Alexander and son, Jack, all of Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Allen and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Whetstone.

Mrs. Lawson Ingram, Mrs. Mauldin and Mrs. Parker visited Mrs. Tom McGaughy in Salem last Thursday afternoon.

Mr. William Goode and a party of friends from Birmingham spent the week end at their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Ingram visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Tatum in Longview Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Thad Alexander who has been working in Birmingham, was home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Russell were at home for the past week end.

Mr. Jim Crawford returned to Aldrich Monday after several days visit with his sister, Mrs. Jack Ingram.

Jack and Daniel Jacques spent Sunday afternoon with Billy Cross.

Total receipts from 1939 seal sale, \$347.20; balance seal sale from 1938 disbursements, \$247.07; total balance, \$594.27.

## Disbursements

Nov. 23, 1939, Mrs. M. P. Jeter, postage for mailing Christmas seals, \$7.00.

Dec. 19, 1939, Mrs. Homer Walton, postage for mailing Christmas seals, \$6.35.

Jan. 25, 1940, Pizitz Kleenex, \$45.60.

Feb. 12, 1940, Jefferson County Sanatorium, one patient, \$25.00.

March 28, 1940, Alabama Tuberculosis Association, percentage of seal sale, \$79.74; supplies, \$11.81.

April 4, 1940, Jefferson County Sanatorium, two patients, \$21.00.

May 28, 1940, Jefferson County Sanatorium, one patient, \$25.00.

August 6, 1940, Batson Memorial Sanatorium, one patient, \$12.00.

August 6, 1940, A. P. McGee, for paper bags, \$8.00.

Sept. 11, 1940, Batson Memorial Sanatorium, one patient, \$31.00.

Oct. 14, 1940, Batson Memorial Sanatorium, two patients, \$50.00.

Oct. 28, 1940, Batson Memorial Sanatorium, two patients, \$10.00.

Total disbursements, \$332.50.

Balance on hand Oct. 29, 1940, \$216.77.

Plans are rapidly being made for the Christmas seal sale which begins Thanksgiving.

The contributions from the Christmas seal sale will not only benefit those in a certain community, but from all over Shelby County. Many cases have already received medical treatment and many others are still on the list. Without these contributions there are quite a number of deserving people in Shelby County who will not receive

Each and every person is urged to do their part in the sale of these seals.—Mrs. M. P. Jeter, chairman; Rev. H. K. Barr, secretary-treasurer.

## BOOTHTON

Mrs. Roy Owens was hostess to the W. M. U. sewing circle Monday afternoon.

Mr. Glenn Synder is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Brasfield.

Mr. Claud Acker is ill at his home in Boothtown.

Miss Susie DeMent of Fayette visited her parents over the week end. Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Sanders of Wylam, formerly of Boothton, announce the birth of a daughter on October 17.

Mrs. Myrtle Terrell, Mrs. Herman Stone, and Mrs. Alfred Gentry attended a birthday dinner for Mrs. Allen of Marvel.

Miss Wilene Peeples is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Cummings in Bessemer.

Plans have been completed for a Hallowe'en carnival to be held Thursday evening, sponsored by the P. T. A.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Eddings spent Sunday evening in Wylam.

Rev. Kirkley of Birmingham will preach at the Boothton church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Terrell and son spent the week end in Wilton.

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